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SONIC BLAST

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Sonic The Hedgehog has seen some strange places in his day — alternate universes, surreal zones* para-cosmic realities and much more. But none of these could have prepared him for the weirdest one of all... on **Flickie Island!**

Remote and uncivilized, the tiny atoll's unspoiled environment houses more than just the planet **Mobius'** most endangered aviary species, the **Flickie Bird**. The island also contains the secret gateway to the ultimate zone, **The Flickie Zone!**

Unfortunately for the inhabitants of the planet Mobius, the evil **Doctor Ivo Robotnik** has detected this unusual location. He intends to plunder Flickie Island's natural resources to fuel his own nefarious schemes.

And so the stage is set. **Sonic and The Freedom Fighters** must prevent Robotnik from destroying the last pristine eco-system on Mobius — not to mention stopping Ivo's acquisition of the hidden treasure inside the Flickie Zone! But this time, the Doctor is prepared for his enemies... hoo boy, is he prepared!

So, come fly with **The Blue Blur** (and lots of Flickie Birds) as his most incredible adventure yet goes under way...

We guarantee you'll have a — **SONIC BLAST!!!**

[*The same zones you enter when you play Sonic on your SEGA game systems. - [Editor]

SONIC THE HEDGEHOG™

AND HIS
COMPATRIOTS
MUST NEVER
HEAR WHAT I
AM ABOUT TO
SAY, SNIVELY!

BUT OF COURSE,
OH KEEPER OF THE
CELLULITE!

I WANT YOU TO ENGAGE
THE SUPER SECRET SCRAMBLER
TO PREVENT THIS COMMUNIQUE
FROM BEING INTERCEPTED! HAVE
YOU TAKEN CARE OF THAT?

OH, I'VE TAKEN
CARE OF IT ALL RIGHT,
DOCTOR ROBOTNIK!
~Snicker~

Harumph! DON'T THINK I HAVE FORGOTTEN MY
RECENT HUMILIATION UPON YOUR RETURN FROM
THE DEATH EGG,
IVO! * I WAS
STUCK TO YOUR
BUTT FOR DAYS!

SNIVELY!
~BZZT~ YOUR
SIGNAL IS BREAKING
UP! ~KFSSSH~

*DID YOU MISS THE RECENT 3-PART EPISODE?
COMING SOON TO GRAPHIC NOVEL!

~Chuckle~ AND
NOW YOU'RE ALL
ALONE AND FAR, FAR
AWAY WITH NO SWAT-
BOTS TO PROTECT
YOU! Heh-Heh!
REVENGE WILL BE
MINE AT LAST!

SNIV--
~VRAAAP~
~LEY!

AH, THAT'S
BETTER! WHAT
TOOK YOU SO
LONG!

JUST
BRINGING
YOU IN
LOUD AND
CLEAR!

SO YOU'LL BE
HEARD BY YOUR
ENEMIES--

"--THE KNOTHOLE FREEDOM FIGHTERS!"

ARE YOU WATCHING 'MOBILS' MOST WANTED', ROTOR?

NO, OUR SATELLITE SCANNER IS INTERCEPTING ONE OF ROBOTNIK'S TRANSMISSIONS!

I'VE GOT A LOCK ON IVO'S LOCATION... AND HE'S ALL ALONE! I'LL CONTACT OUR LEADING MAN--

--SONIC THE HEDGEHOG! HE'S DOWN BY THE HARBOR-- WHICH IS WHERE I WANT YOU TWO TO RENDEZVOUS, BECAUSE ROBOTNIK'S WAY OUT IN THE SOUTH MOBOCEAN!

HE SURE IS! WHAT WOULD OLD BLUBBER-BOLTS BE DOING IN SUCH A REMOTE LOCALE?

YOU LAUNCH YOUR BATHYSPPHERE AND I'LL MEET YOU IN THE SEA FOX!

SOON:

THERE YOU ARE, SONIC!

IS ANYTHING WRONG? YOU LOOK UPSET!

Sigh: WELL, IF YOU MUST KNOW...

I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT KNUCKLES THE ECHIDNA --AND THE CONFLICTING STORIES YOU'VE TOLD ME ABOUT YOUR PAST LIFE WITH HIM...*

Oh, puh-
LEEZE!

IF I HELD BACK OR BENT THE TRUTH A LITTLE, YOU KNOW I ONLY DID IT TO PROTECT EVERYONE ON THIS PLANET! THAT'S MY JOB AS PRINCESS!

*SALLY'S MEMORIES CHANGED BETWEEN SONIC SECT VOL.1 and SONIC SECT VOL.2
---- Editor

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PART I

Hmf!

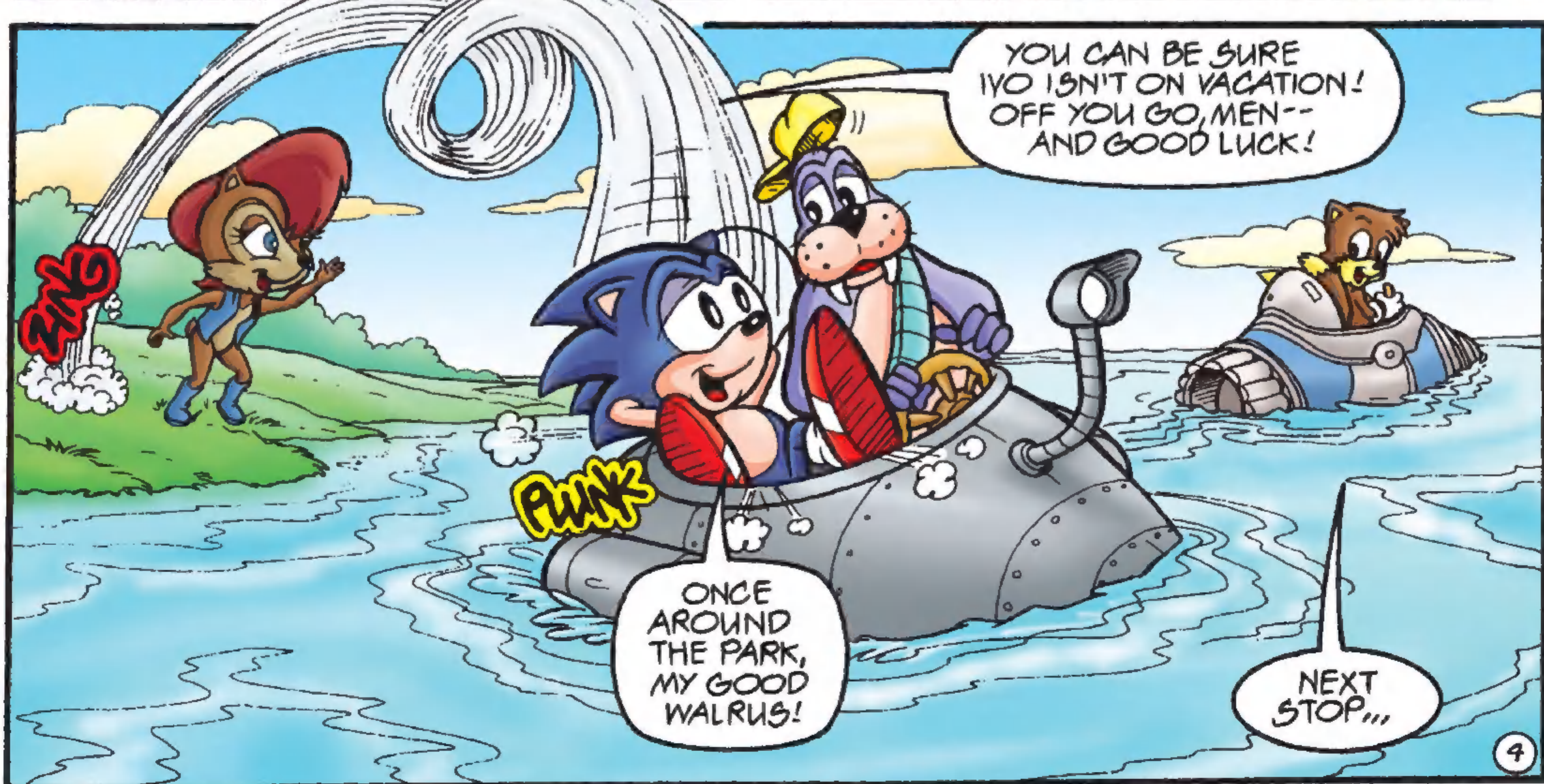
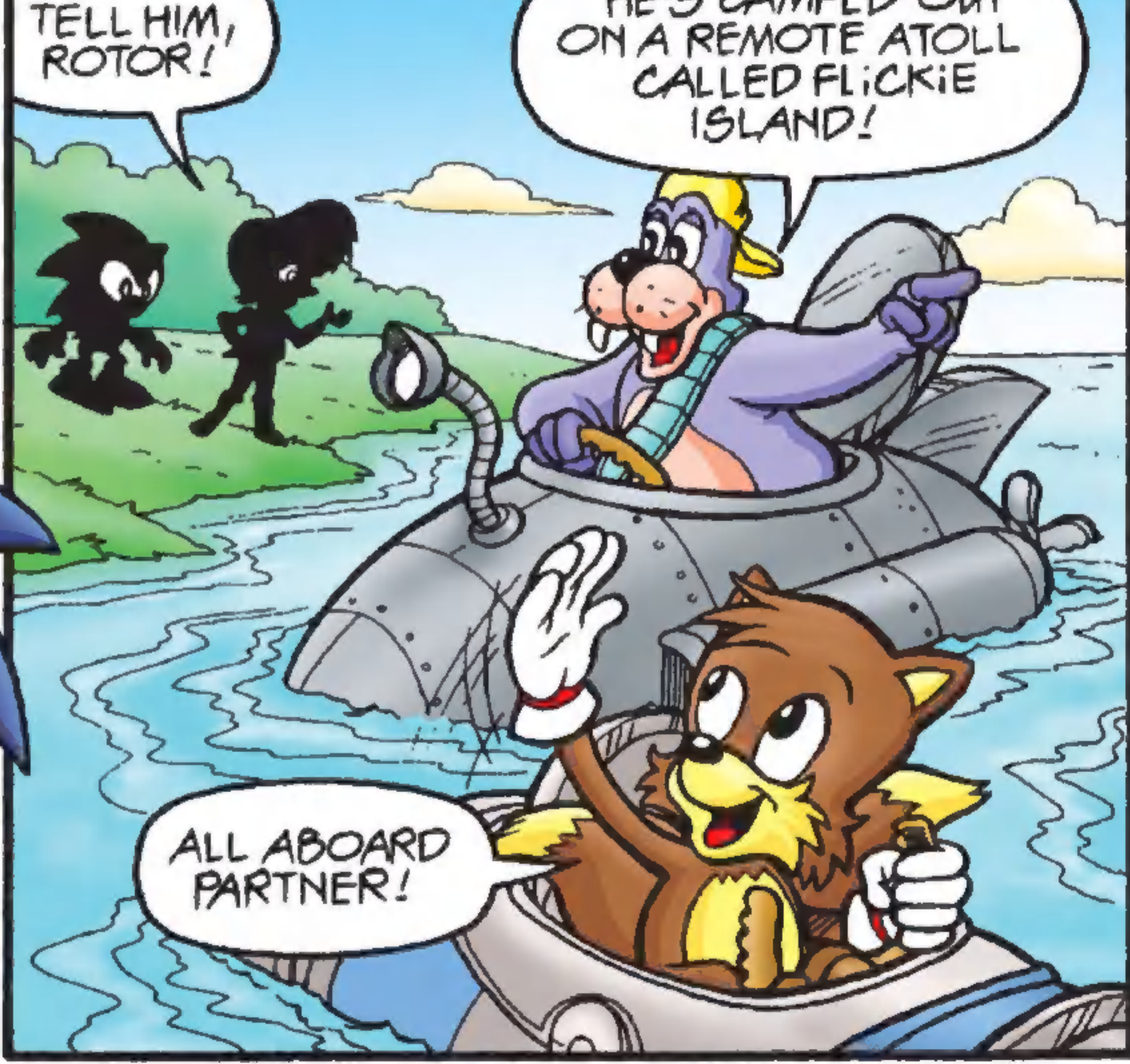
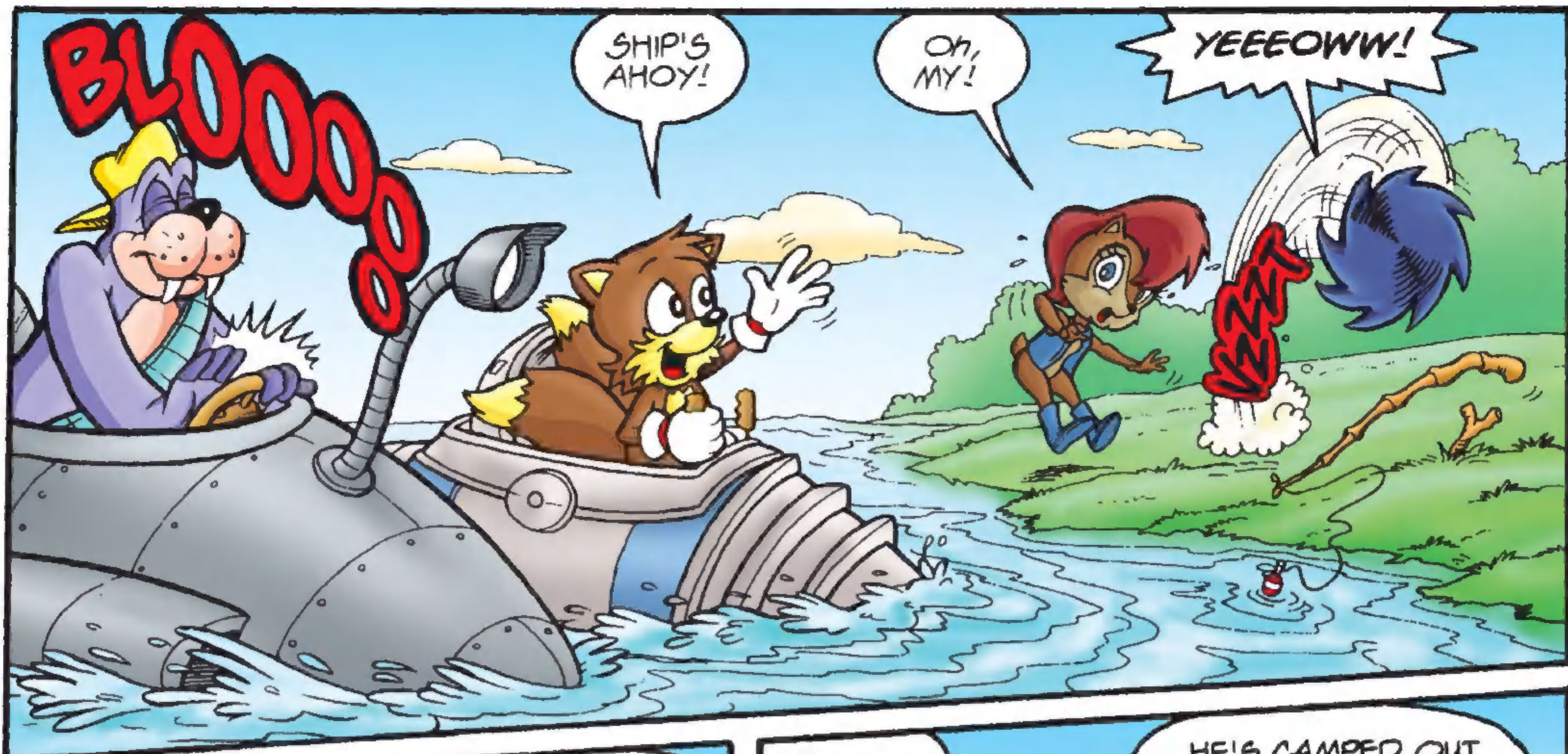
AND YOU SHOULD ALSO KNOW THAT THE MAN I'M CURRENTLY INTERESTED IN HAS A BACK FULL OF BLUE BRISTLES...

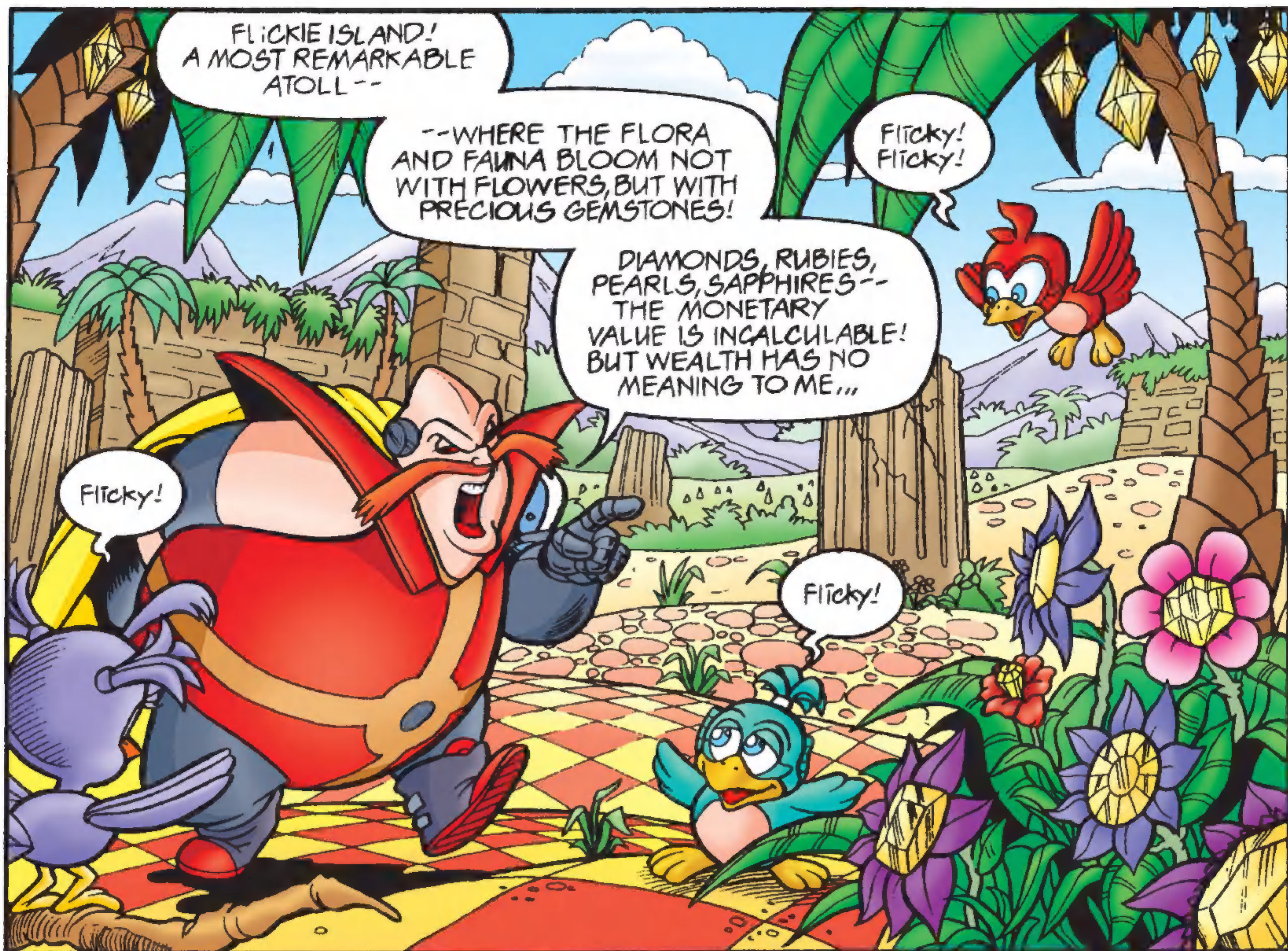
SHORT

YOU KNOW HOW TO BRISTLE, DON'T YOU? YOU JUST PUT YOUR LIPS TOGETHER AND --

Huh?

Guip!





FLICKIE ISLAND!
A MOST REMARKABLE
ATOLL--

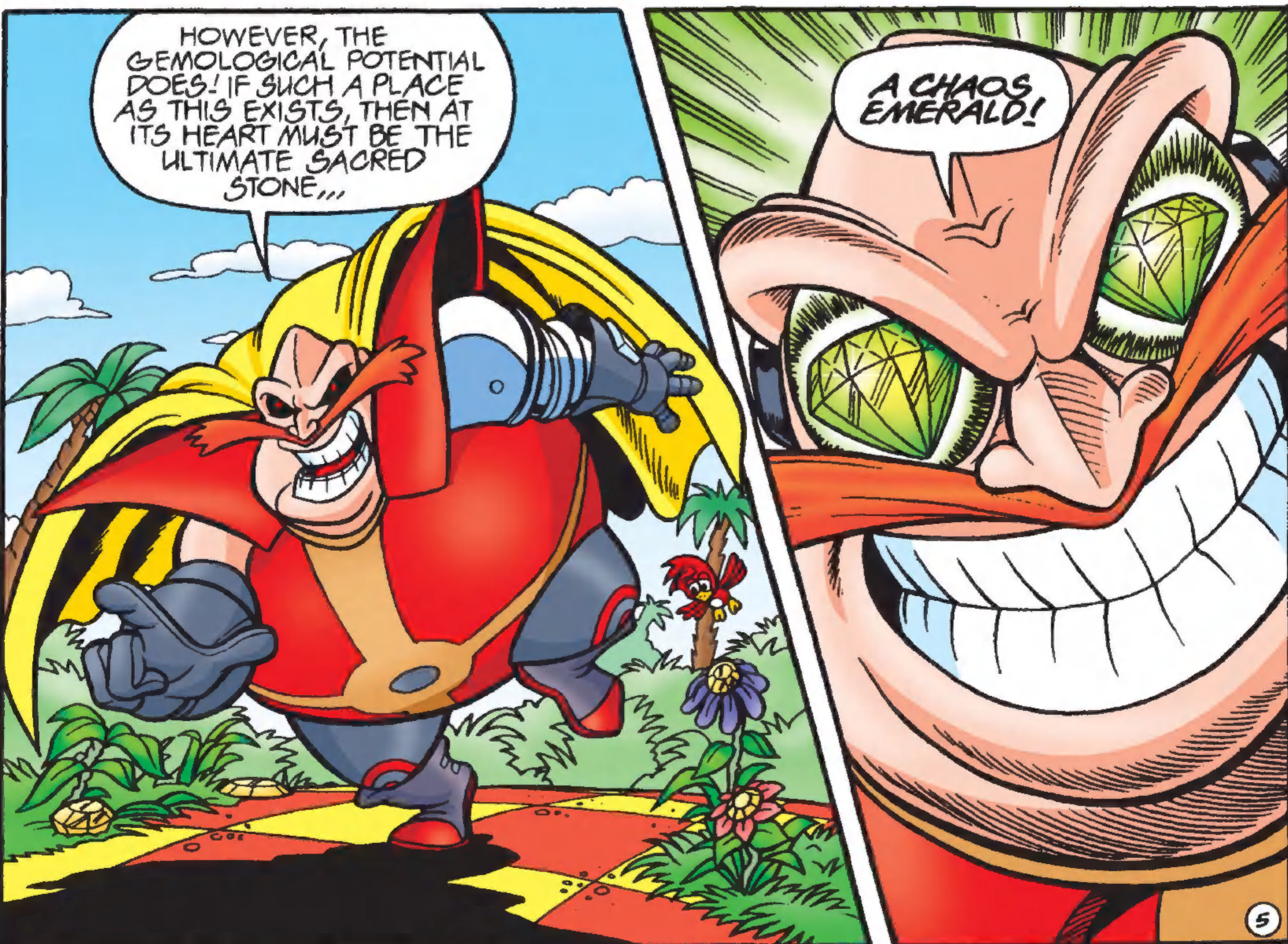
--WHERE THE FLORA
AND FAUNA BLOOM NOT
WITH FLOWERS, BUT WITH
PRECIOUS GEMSTONES!

DIAMONDS, RUBIES,
PEARLS, SAPPHIRES--
THE MONETARY
VALUE IS INCALCULABLE!
BUT WEALTH HAS NO
MEANING TO ME...

Flicky!
Flicky!

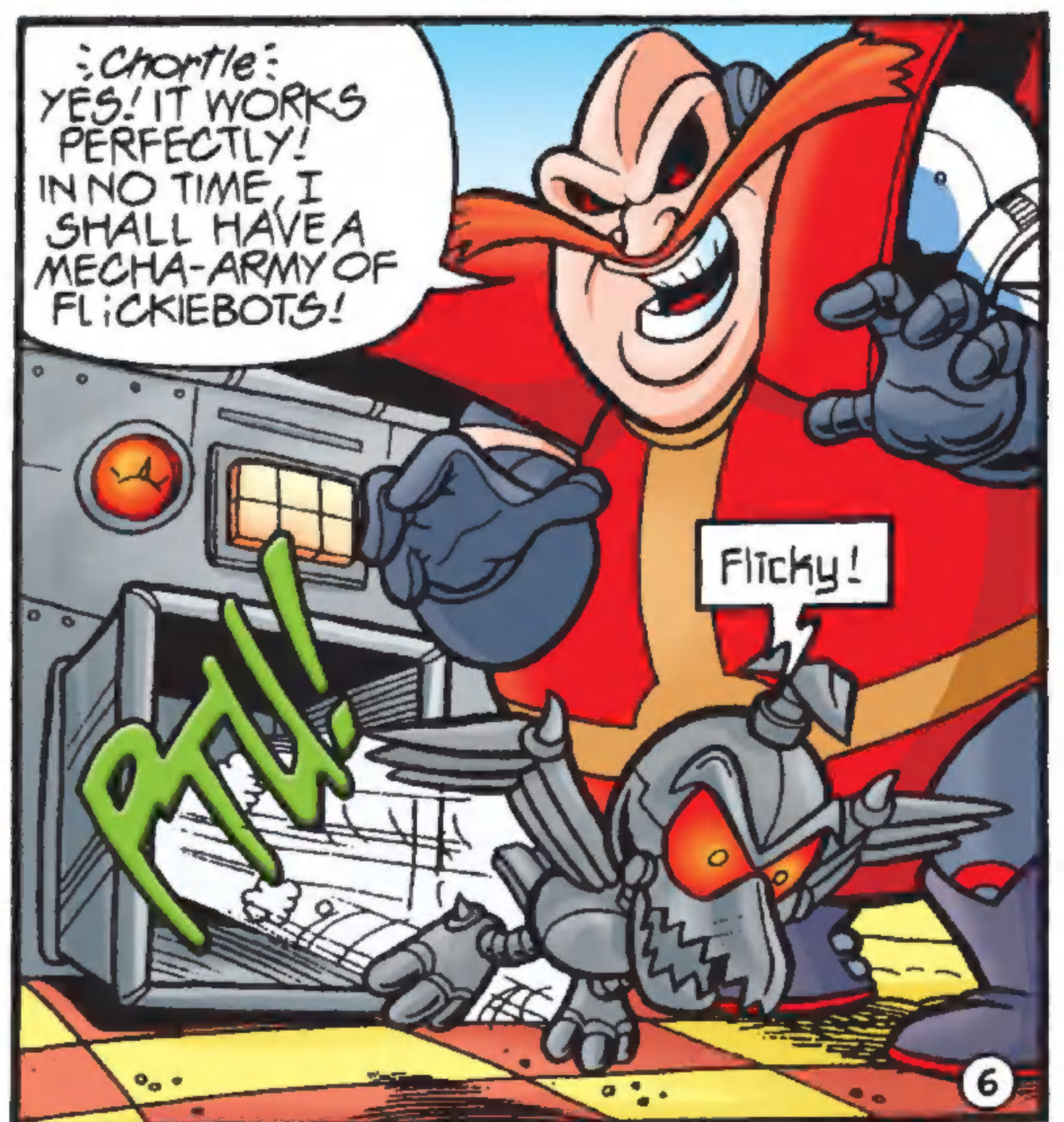
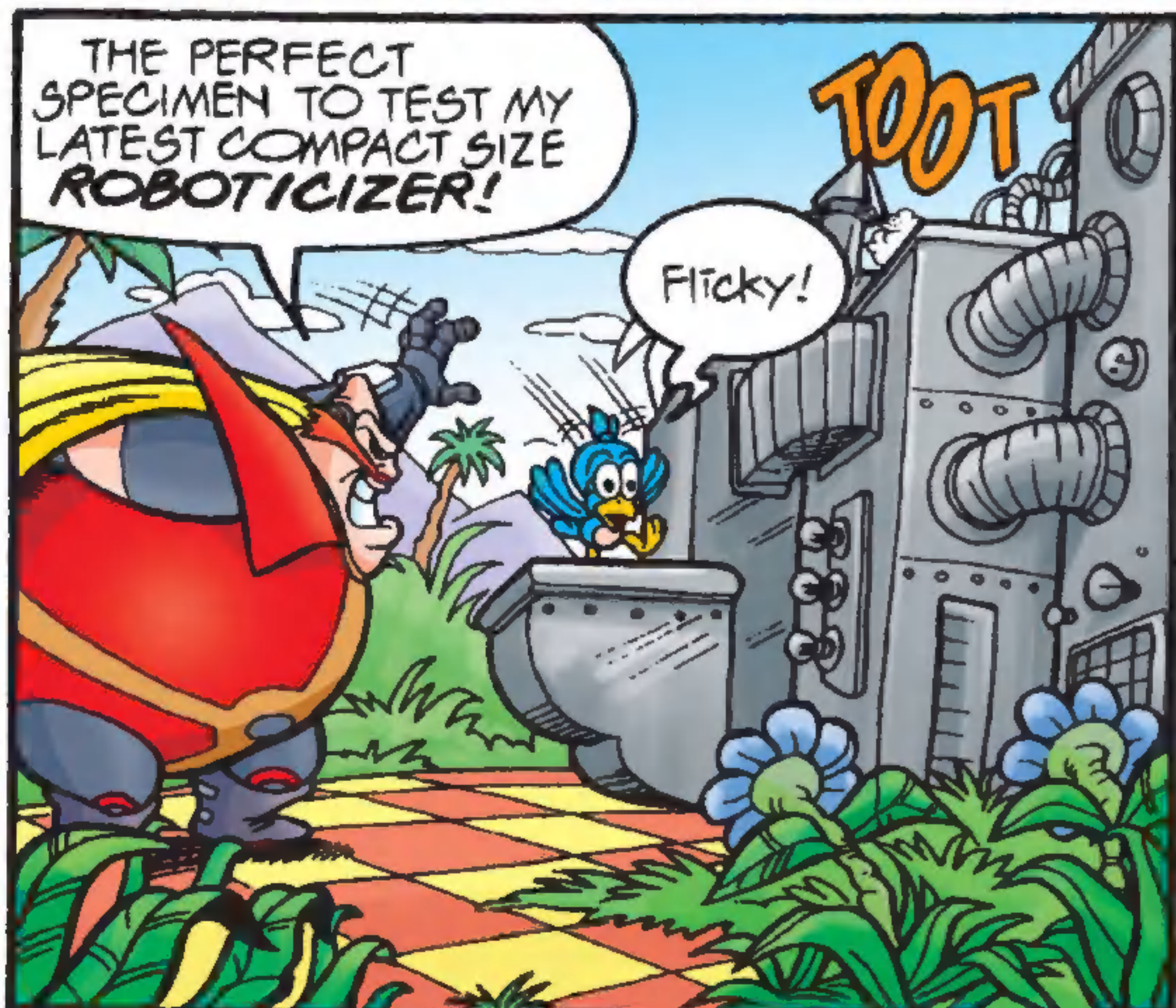
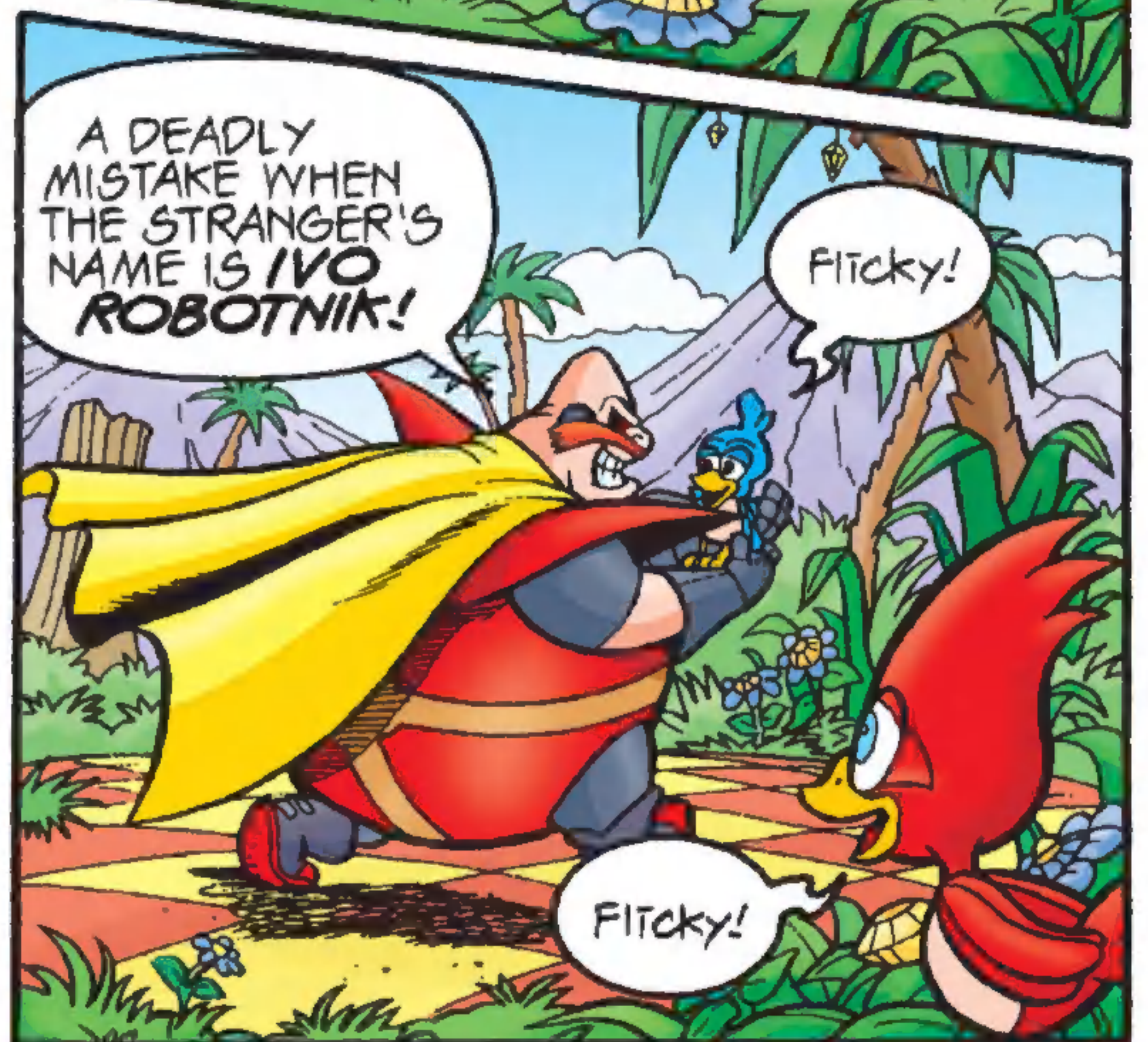
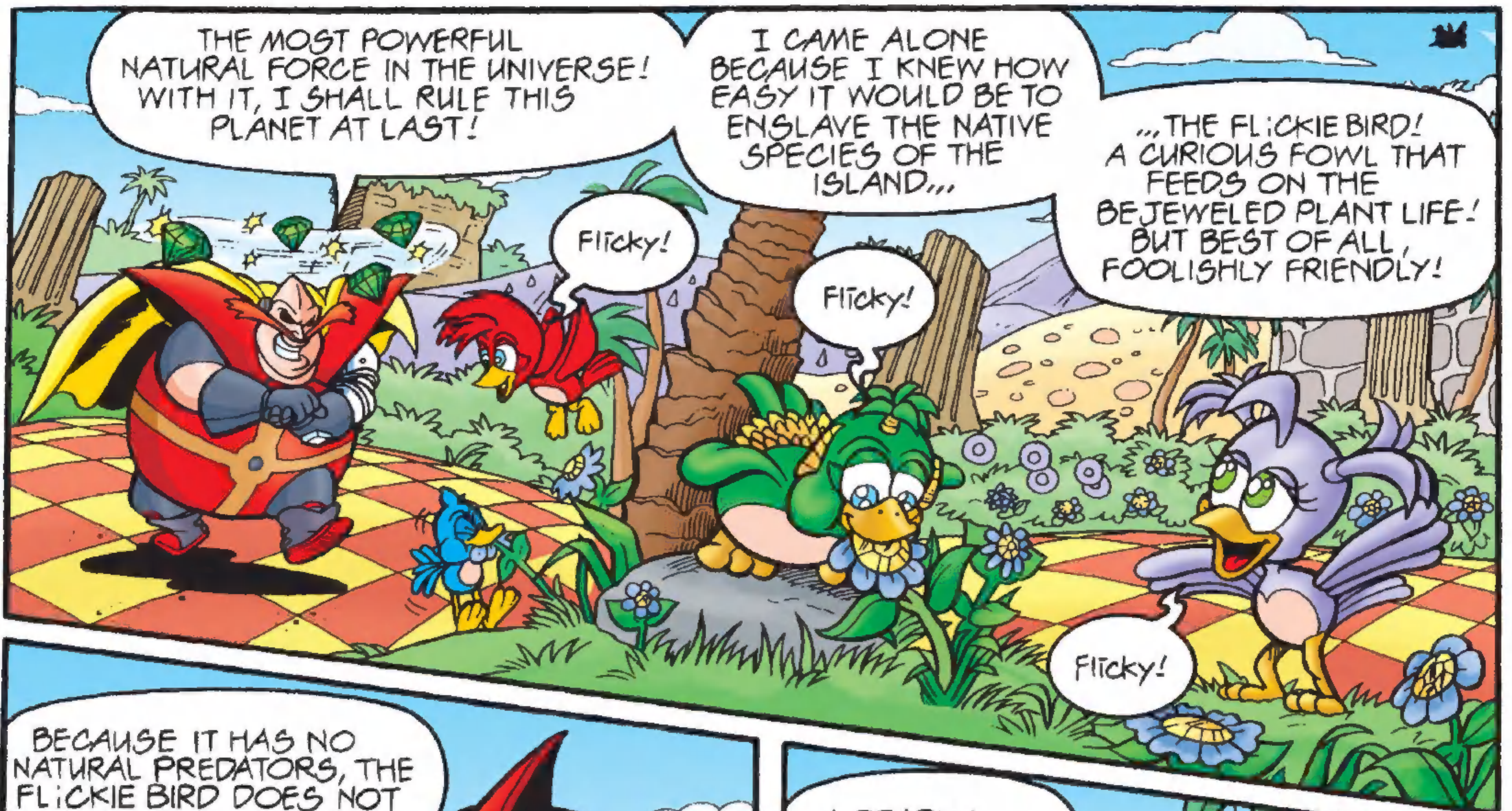
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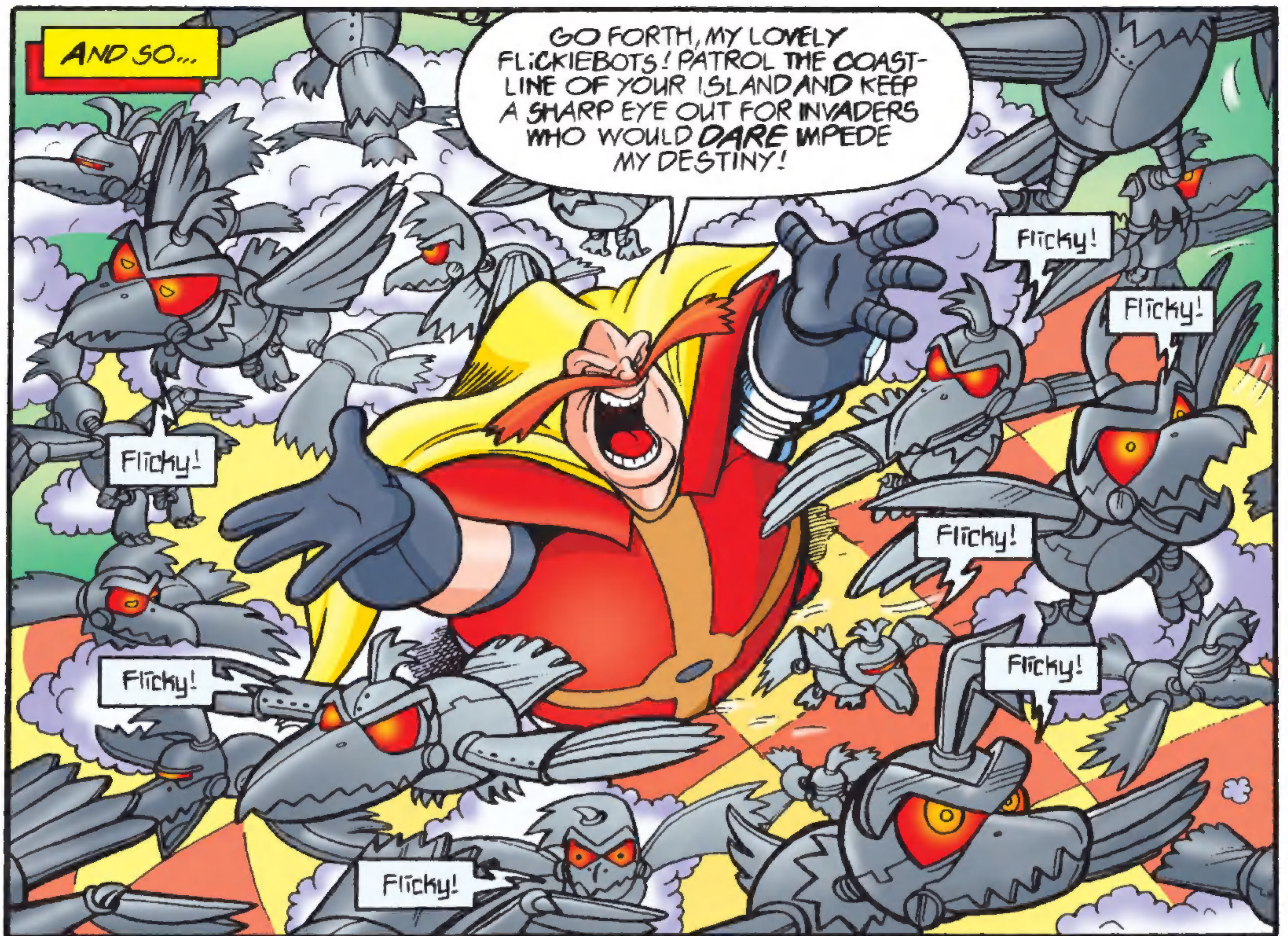
Flicky!



HOWEVER, THE
GEMOLOGICAL POTENTIAL
DOES! IF SUCH A PLACE
AS THIS EXISTS, THEN AT
ITS HEART MUST BE THE
ULTIMATE SACRED
STONE...

A CHAOS
EMERALD!





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HERE... WE'RE APPROACHING
FLICKIE ISLAND!

COME IN, TAILS!
DO YOU SEE THAT SWARM
HEADING OUR WAY FROM
THE LAND MASS!

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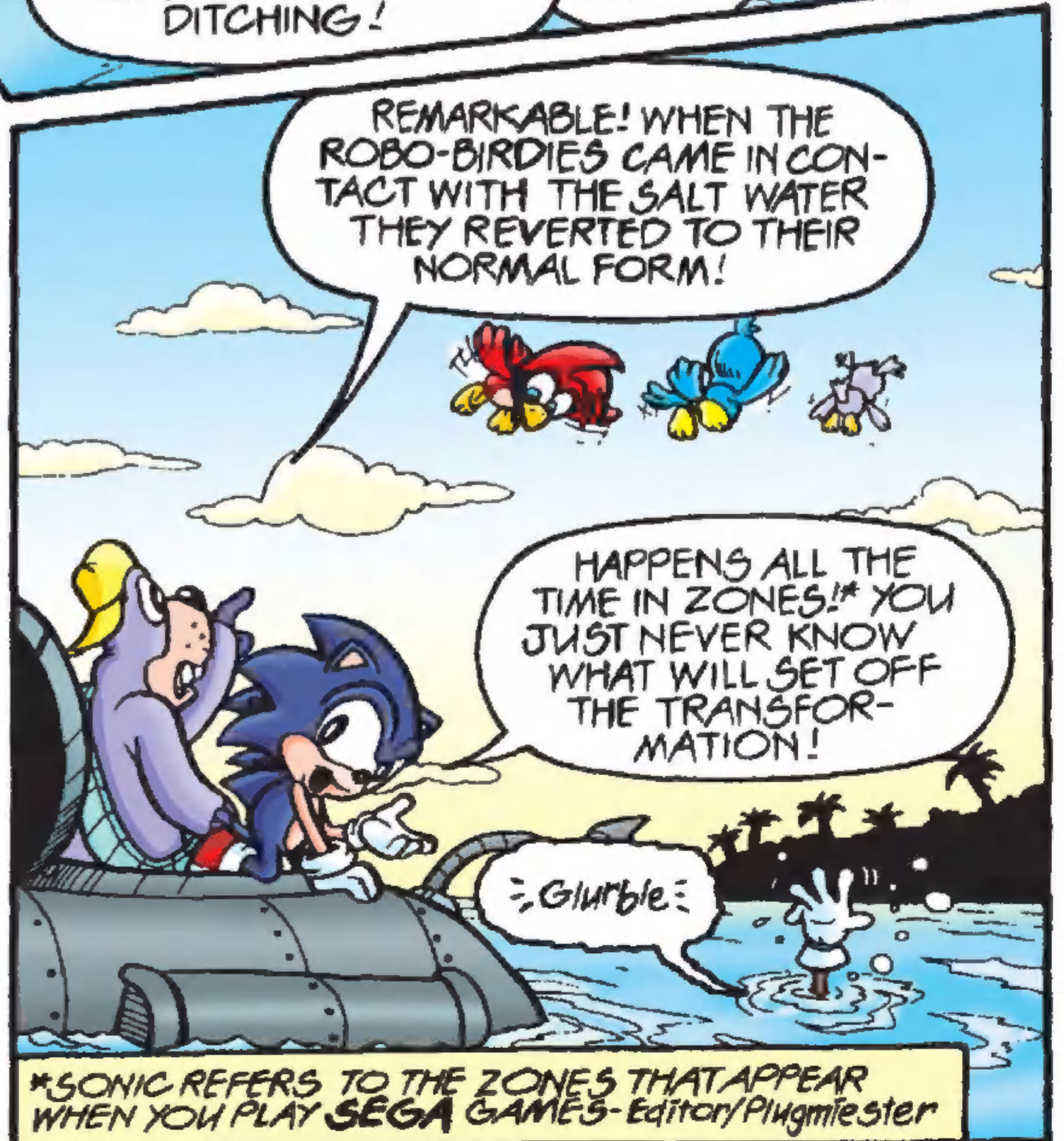
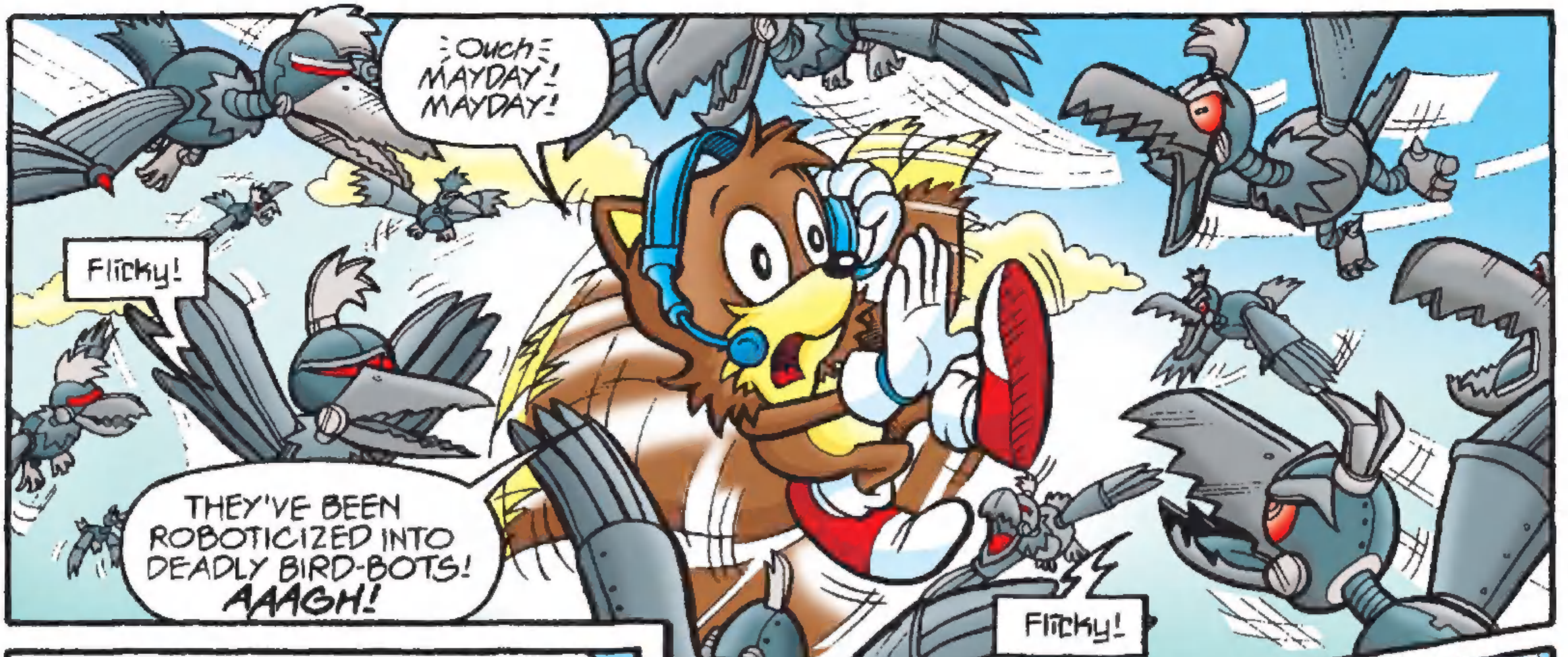
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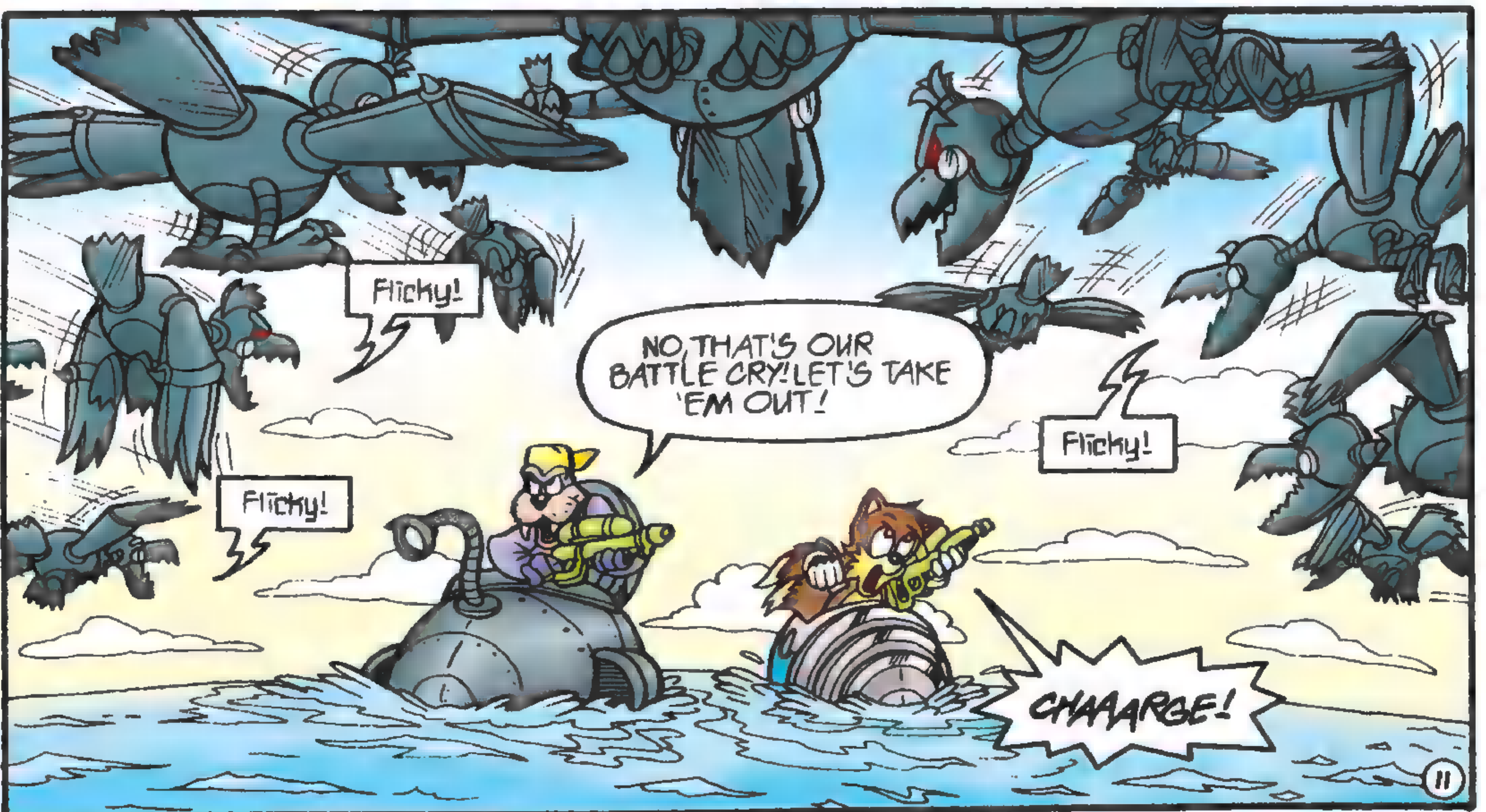
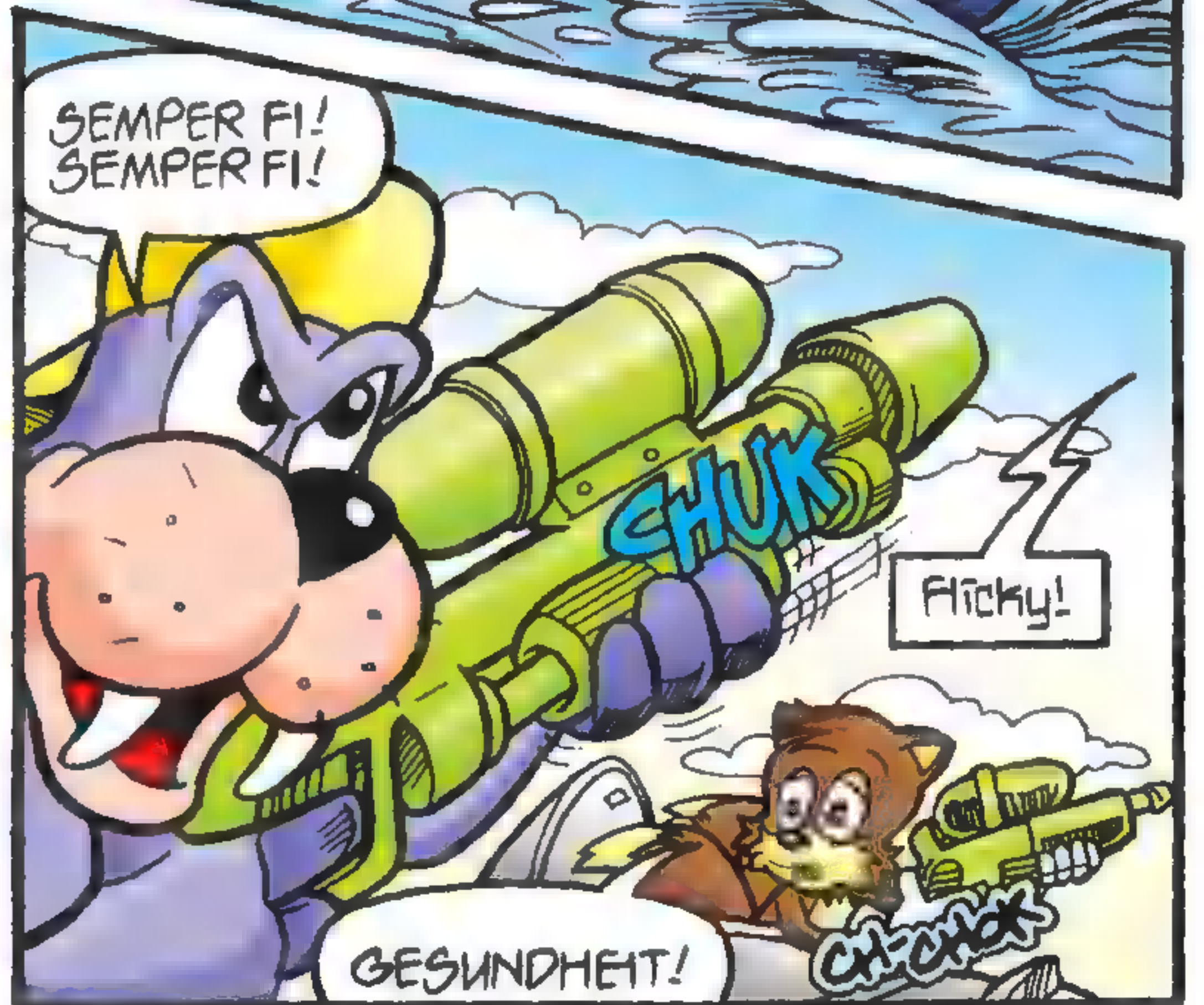
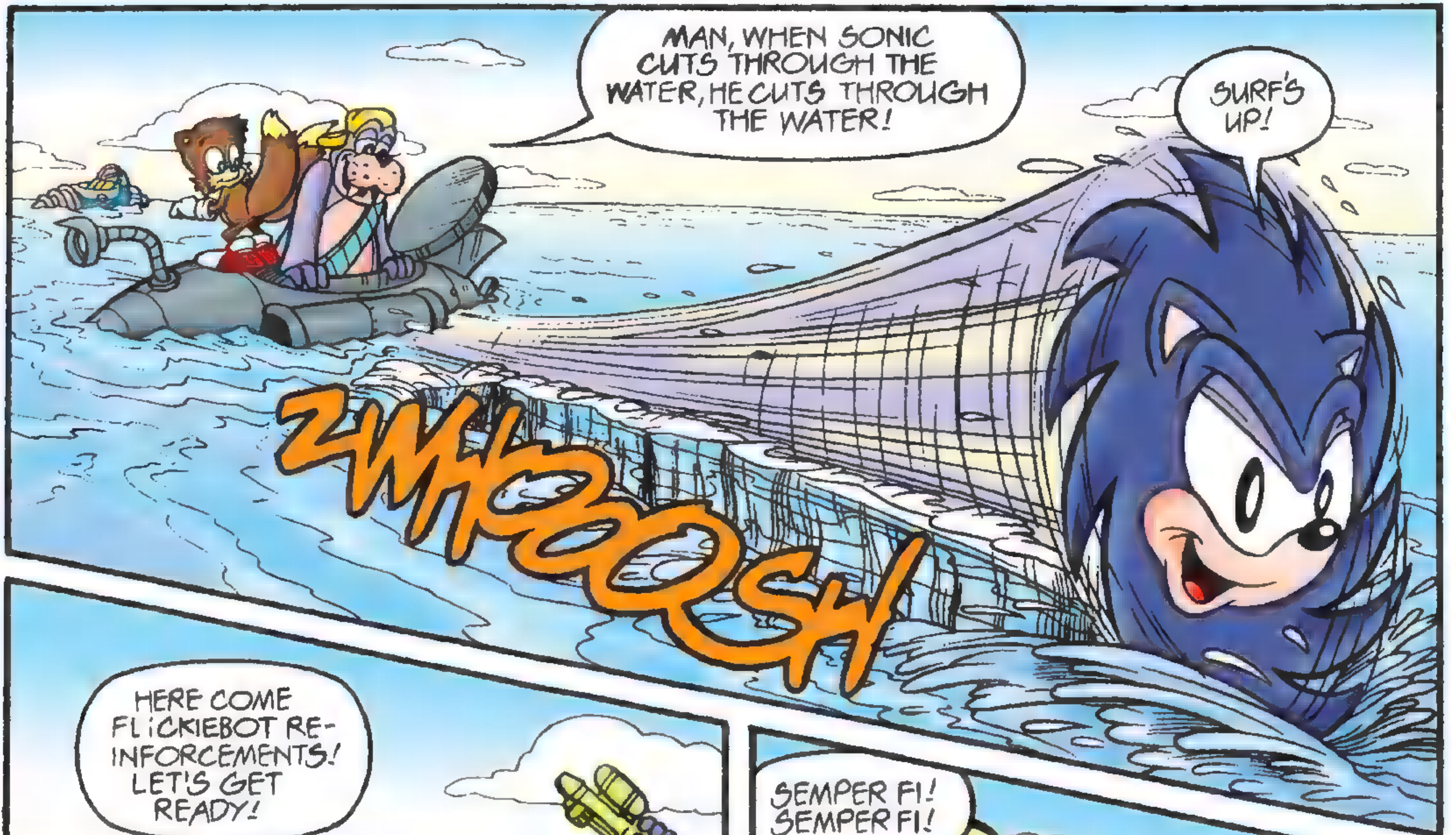
AFFIRMATIVE!
I'LL INVESTIGATE!
SWITCHING TO
HEADSET!

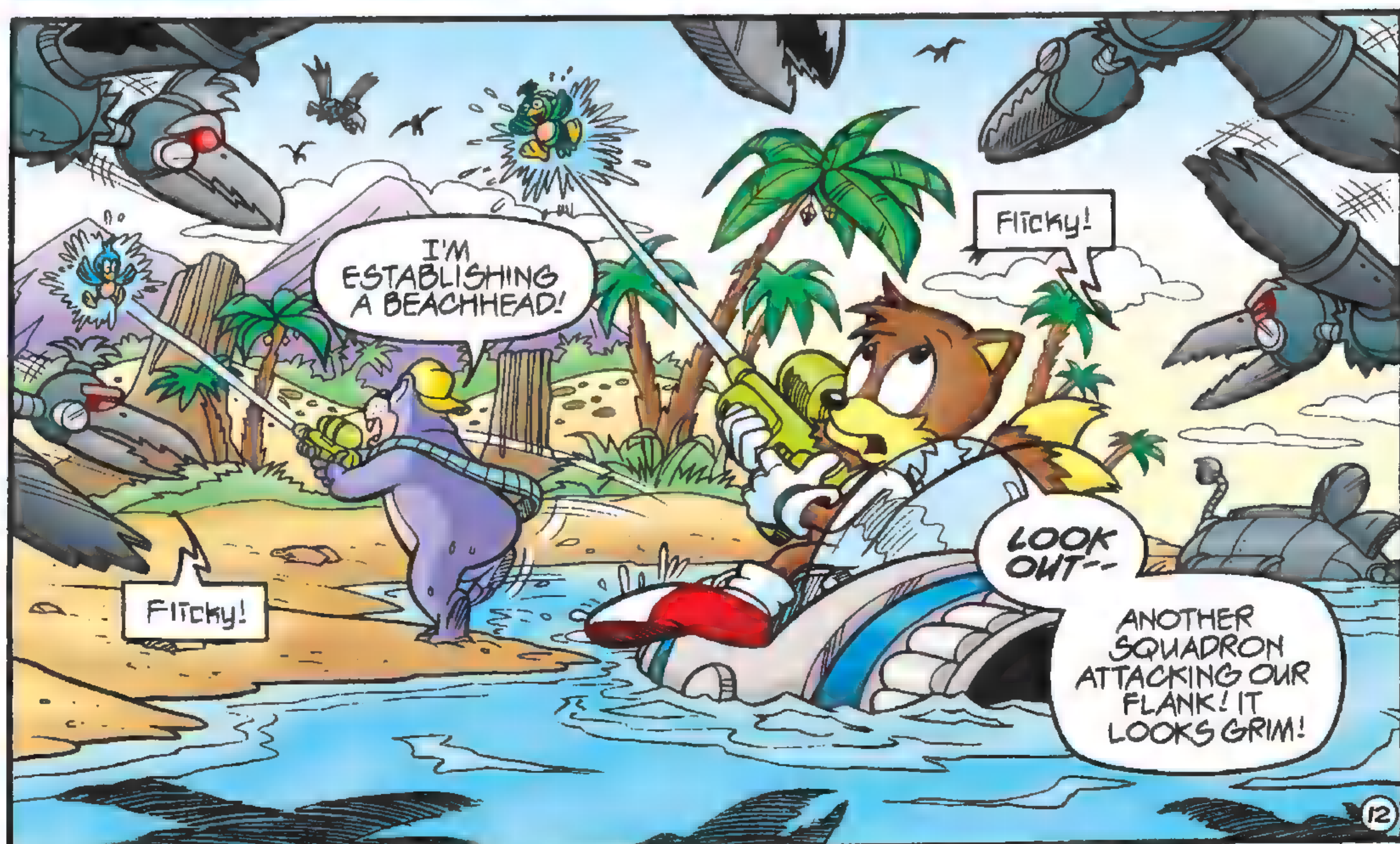
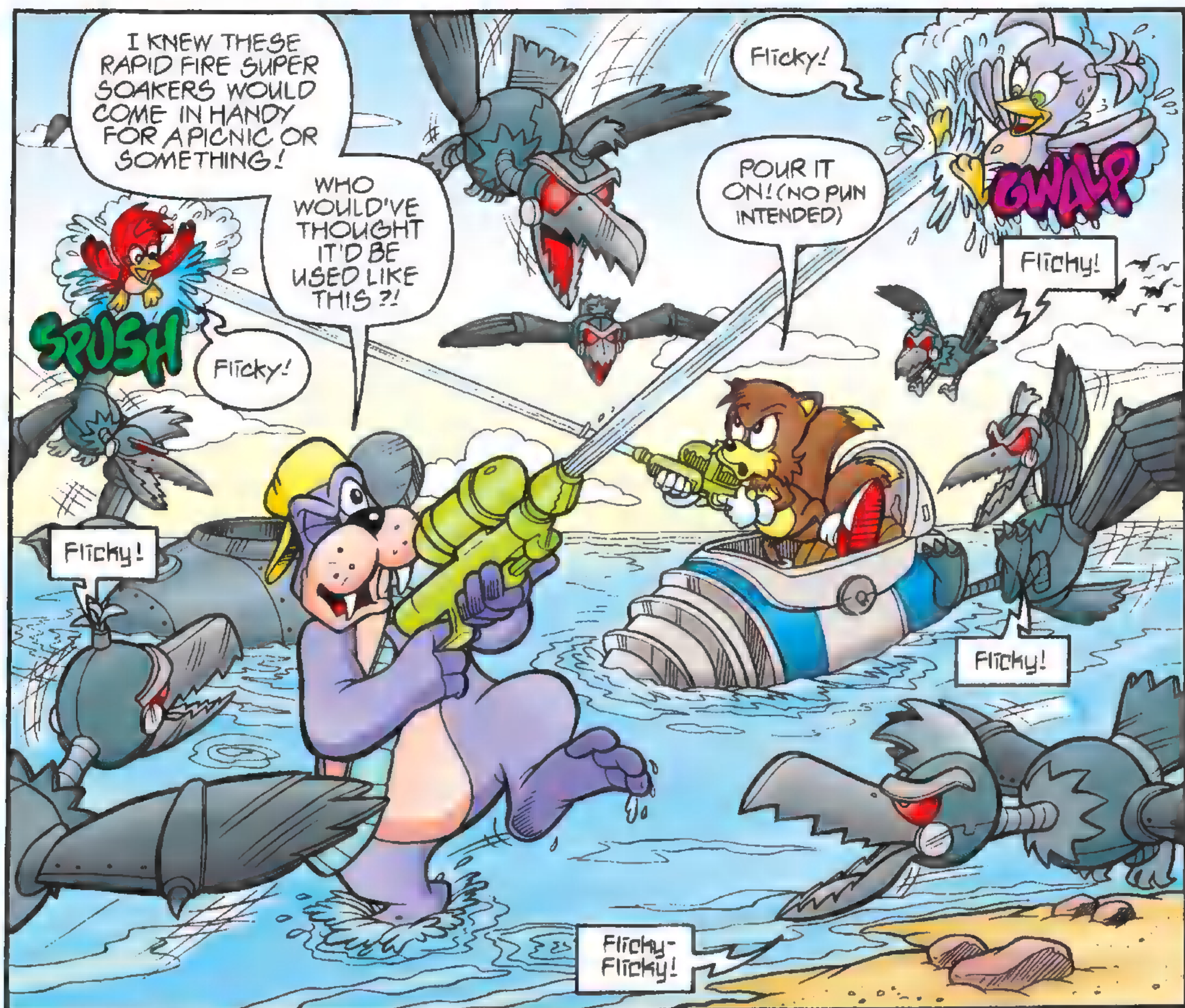
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CAREFUL
LITTLE
BUDDY!

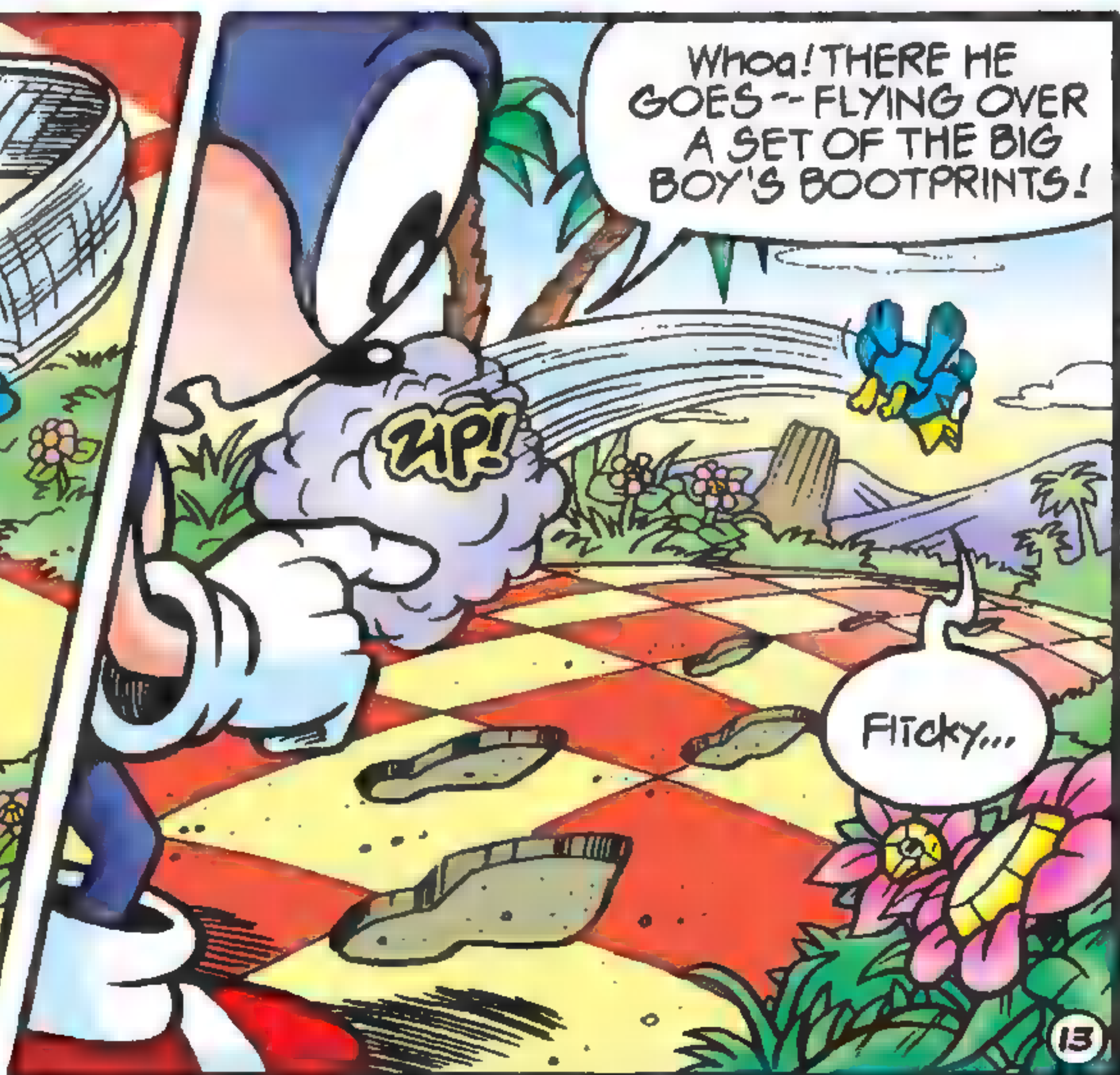
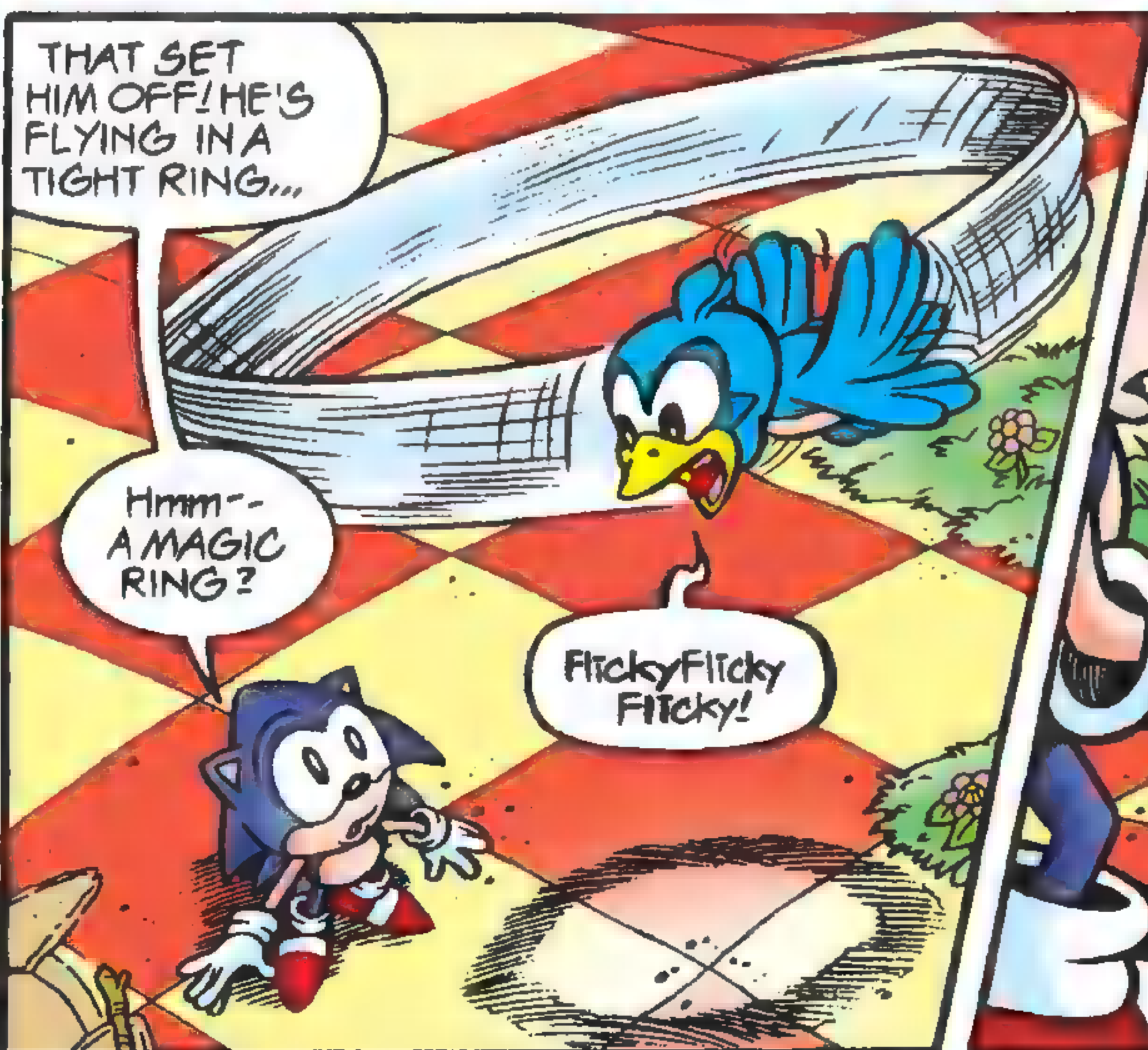
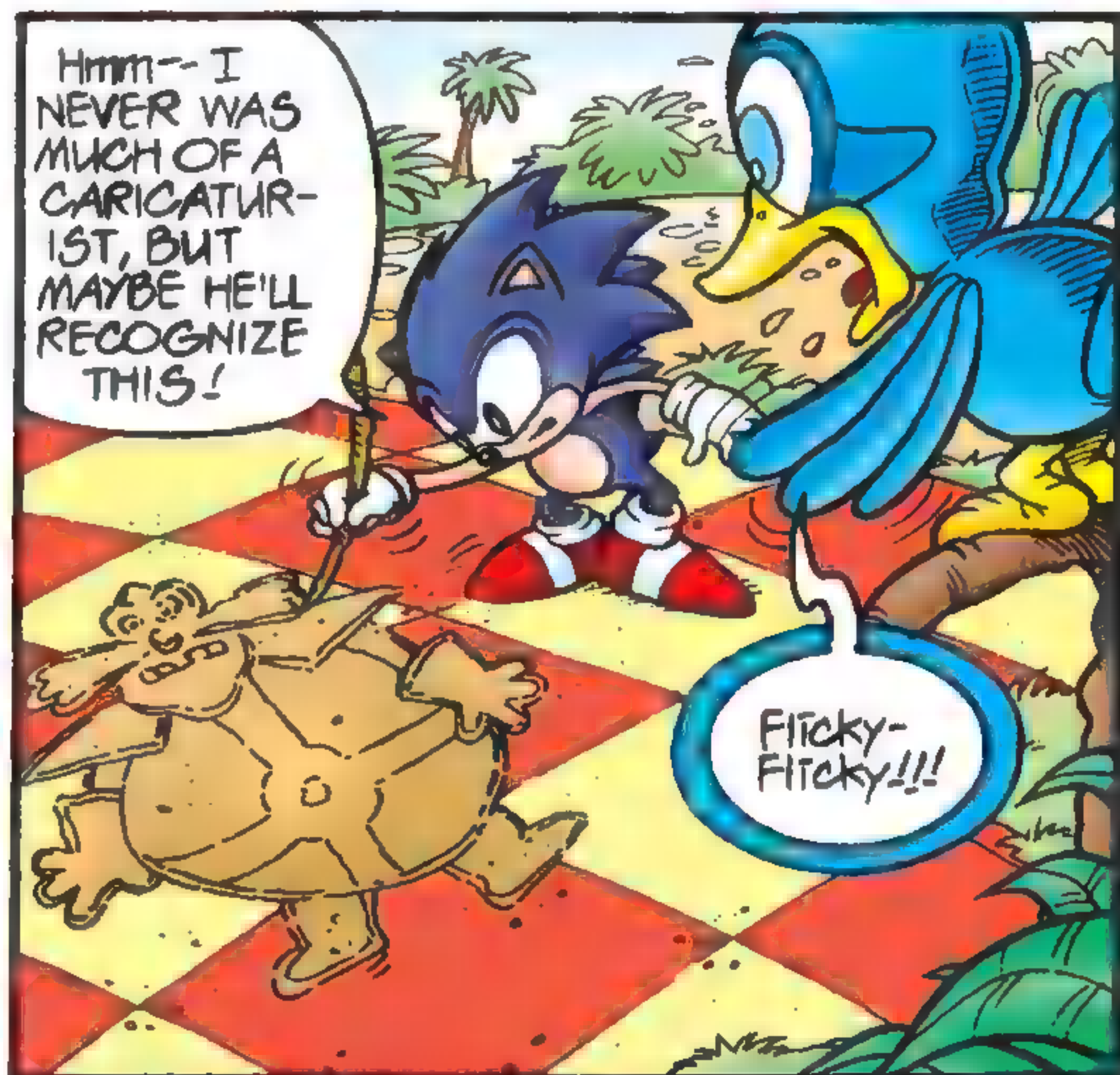
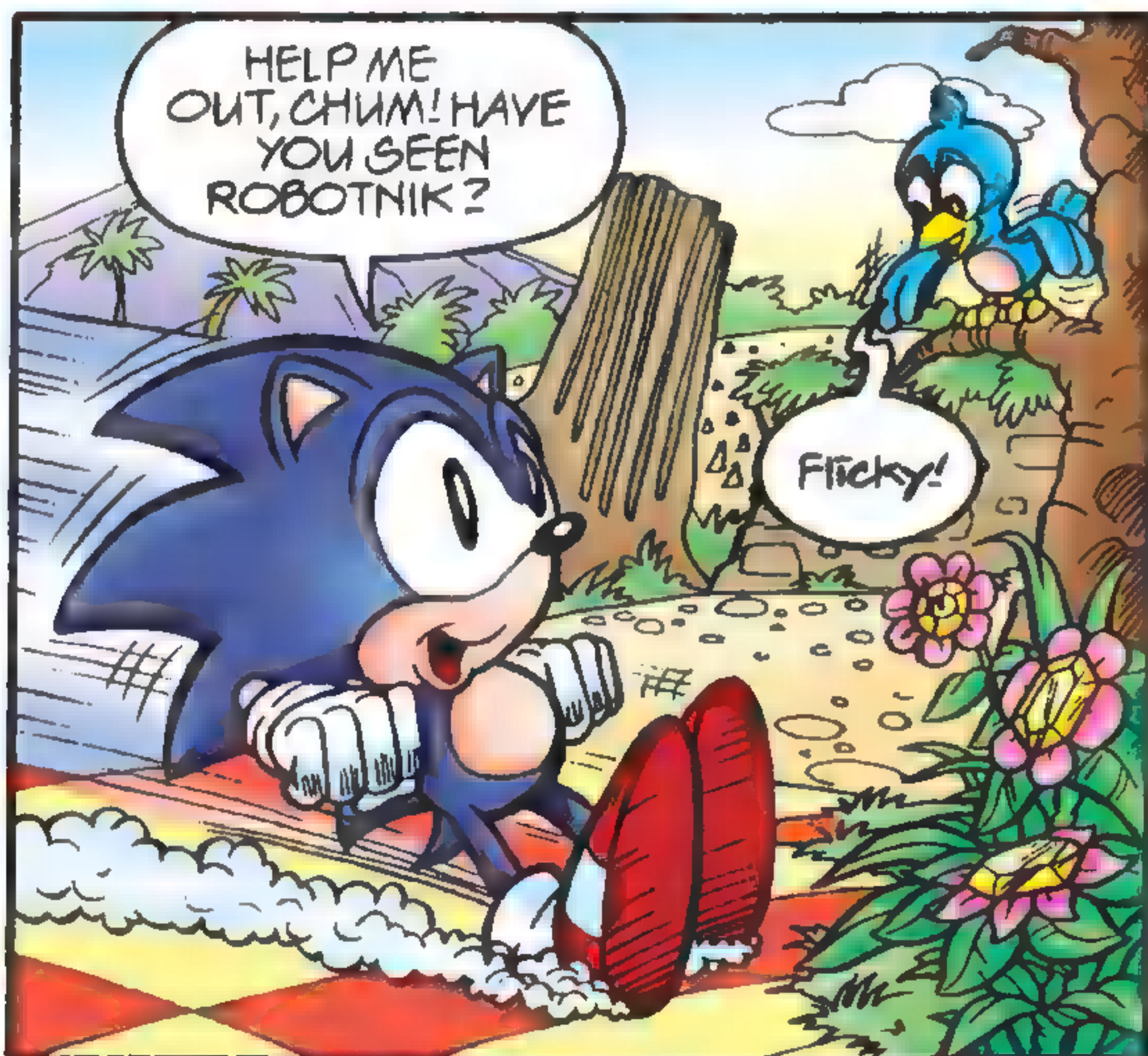
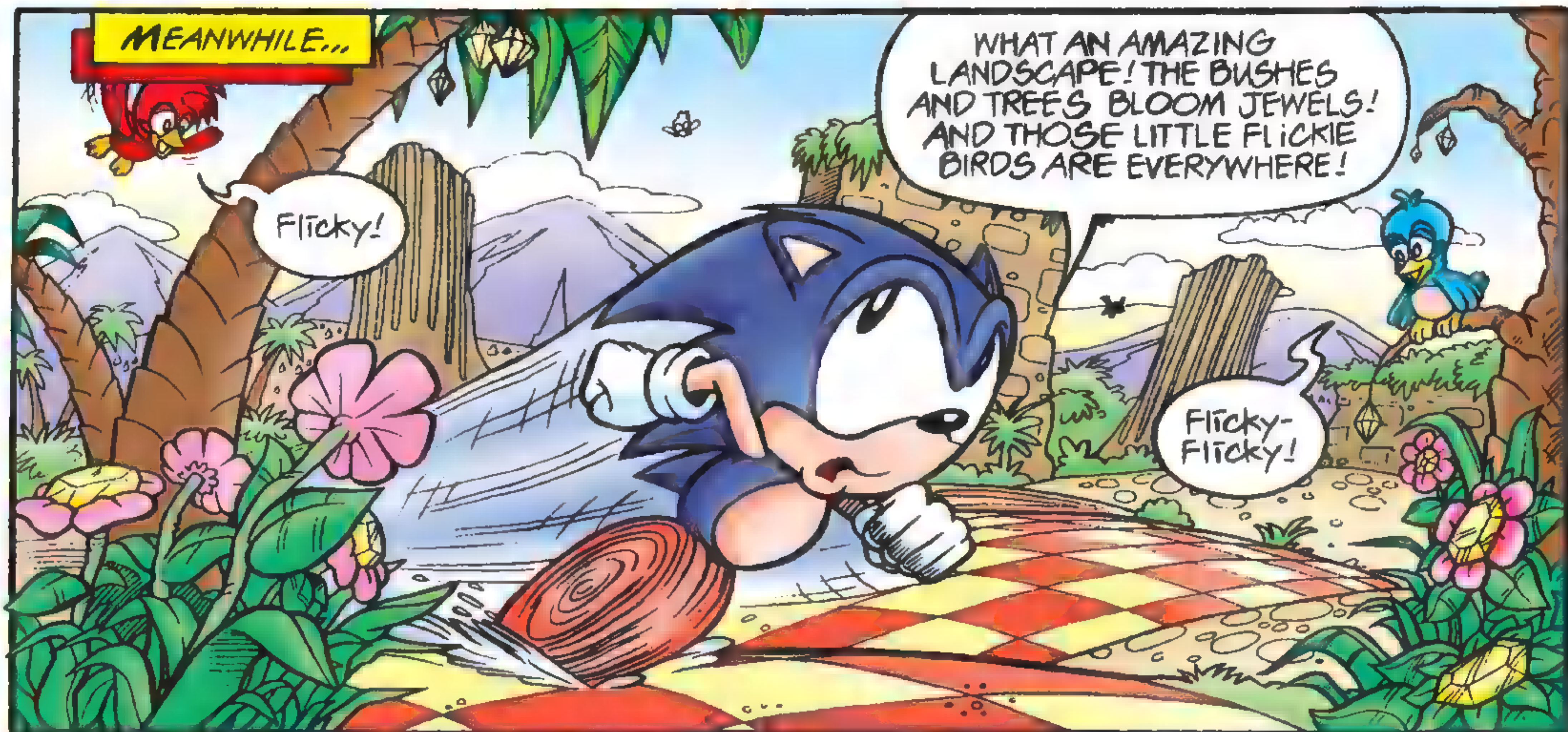
CHILL, ROTOR! I'VE PROVED
MY MATURITY IN DOWNUNDA BY
TAKING ON A HORDE OF CROCK-
BOT'S MECHA-MUTTS, THE
WING DINGOES!

I'LL RECON AND
REPORT AT FOUR HUNDRED
FEET, BUT IT JUST LOOKS
LIKE A FLOCK OF THE
RARE FLICKIE BIRD--









AT THE END OF THE
FOOTPRINT TRAIL...

AHA! JUST AS I
SUSPECTED! A GIGANTIC
MAGIC RING SERVING AS
A DIMENSIONAL
PORTAL!

I KNEW THESE FLICKIES
AND THEIR BIZARRE WORLD
HAD TO COME FROM OUTSIDE
THE NORMAL MOBIAN
REALITY!

Flicky!

Flicky!

Flicky!

SUCH AN ALTERNATE
DIMENSION CAN ONLY BE
POWERED BY A CHAOS
EMERALD!

A CHAOS EMERALD
THAT WILL SOON COME
INTO THE POSSESSION
OF IVO ROBOTNIK!

THE ULTIMATE
POWER IS JUST A
HOP, SKIP AND A
JUMP AWAY!

Flicky!

YOU CAN
SKIP THAT JUMP,
HOPHEAD!

GADZOOKS!
THAT VOICE! IT CAN'T
BEEEEEEEEEEEEEE

Flicky!

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PART 3

YOU'VE INTERFERED WITH
MY PLANS FOR THE LAST TIME!
NOW OUR FINAL CONFRONTATION
BEGINS!

Flicky!

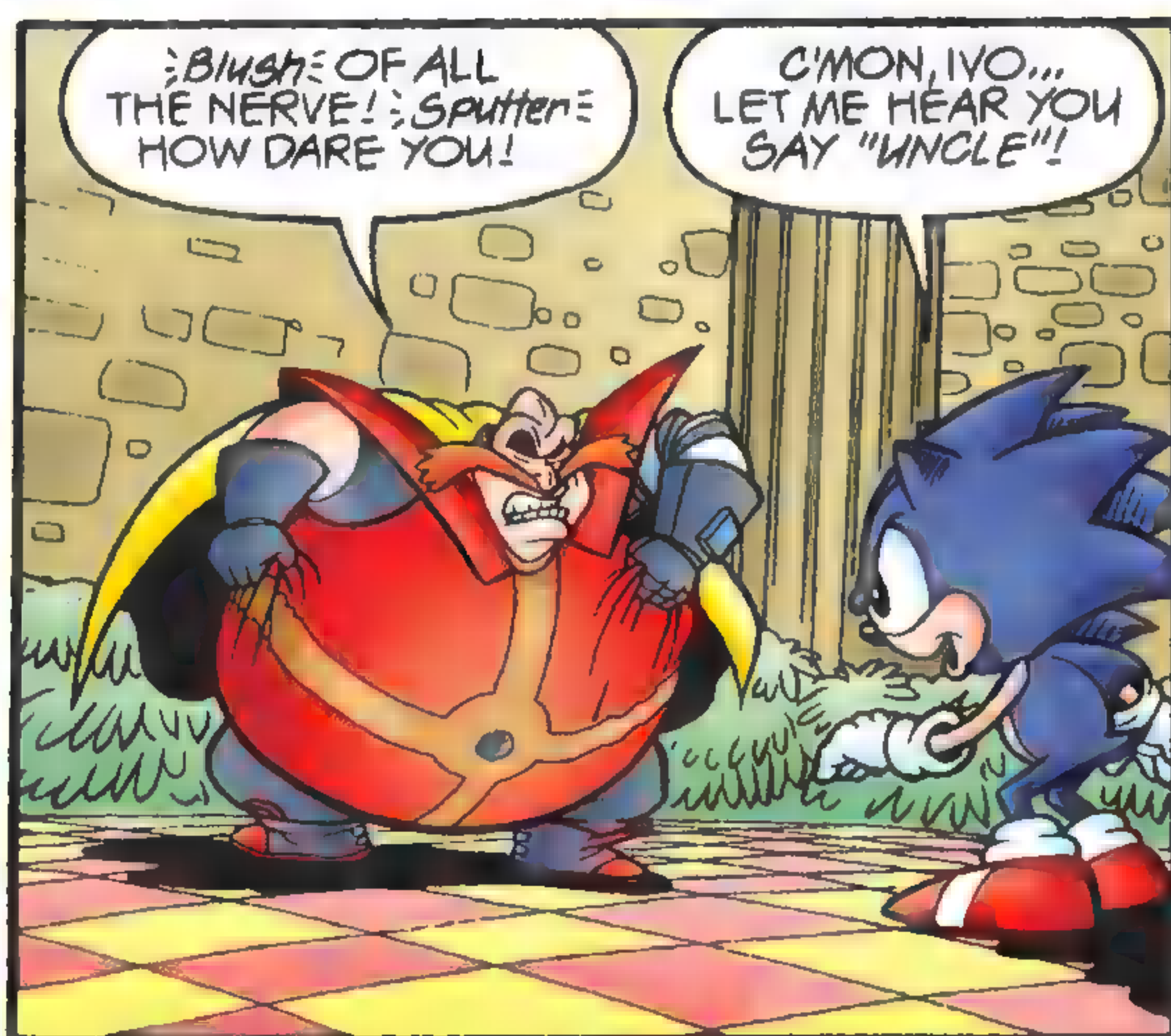
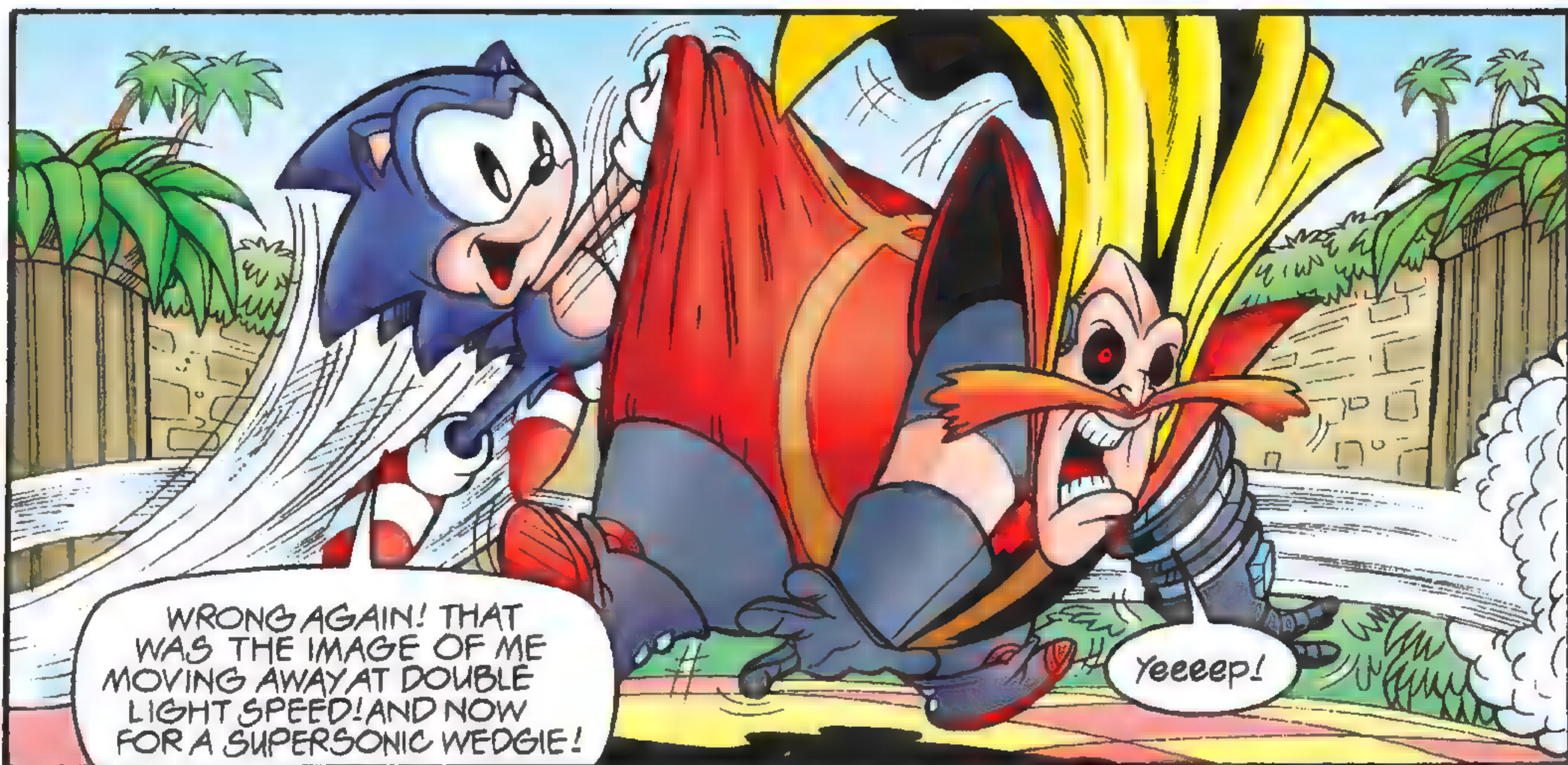
WHY DON'T WE JUST
CUT TO THE CHASE, TUBBO?
TURN YOURSELF IN AND
AVOID ANY UNNECESSARY
OILSHED!

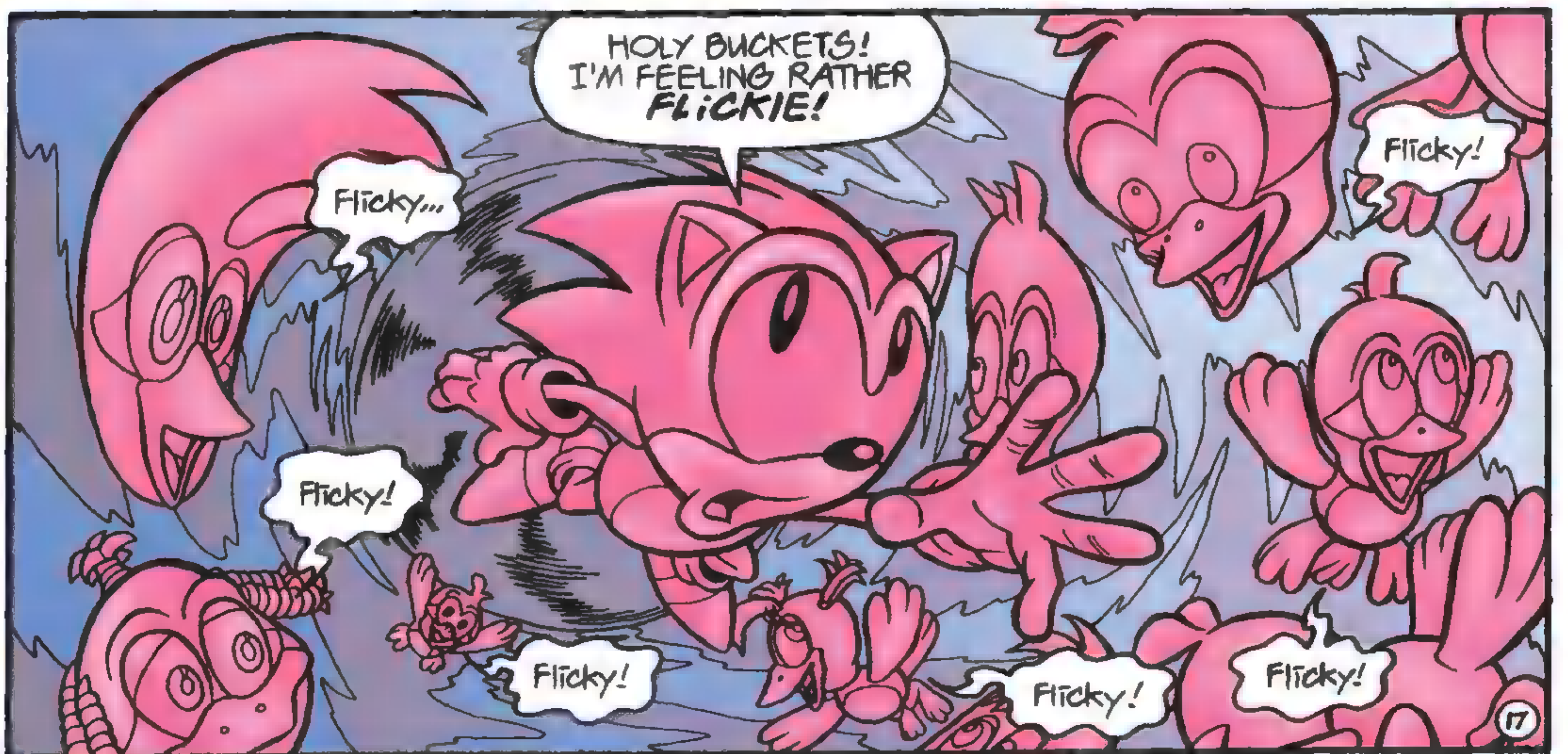
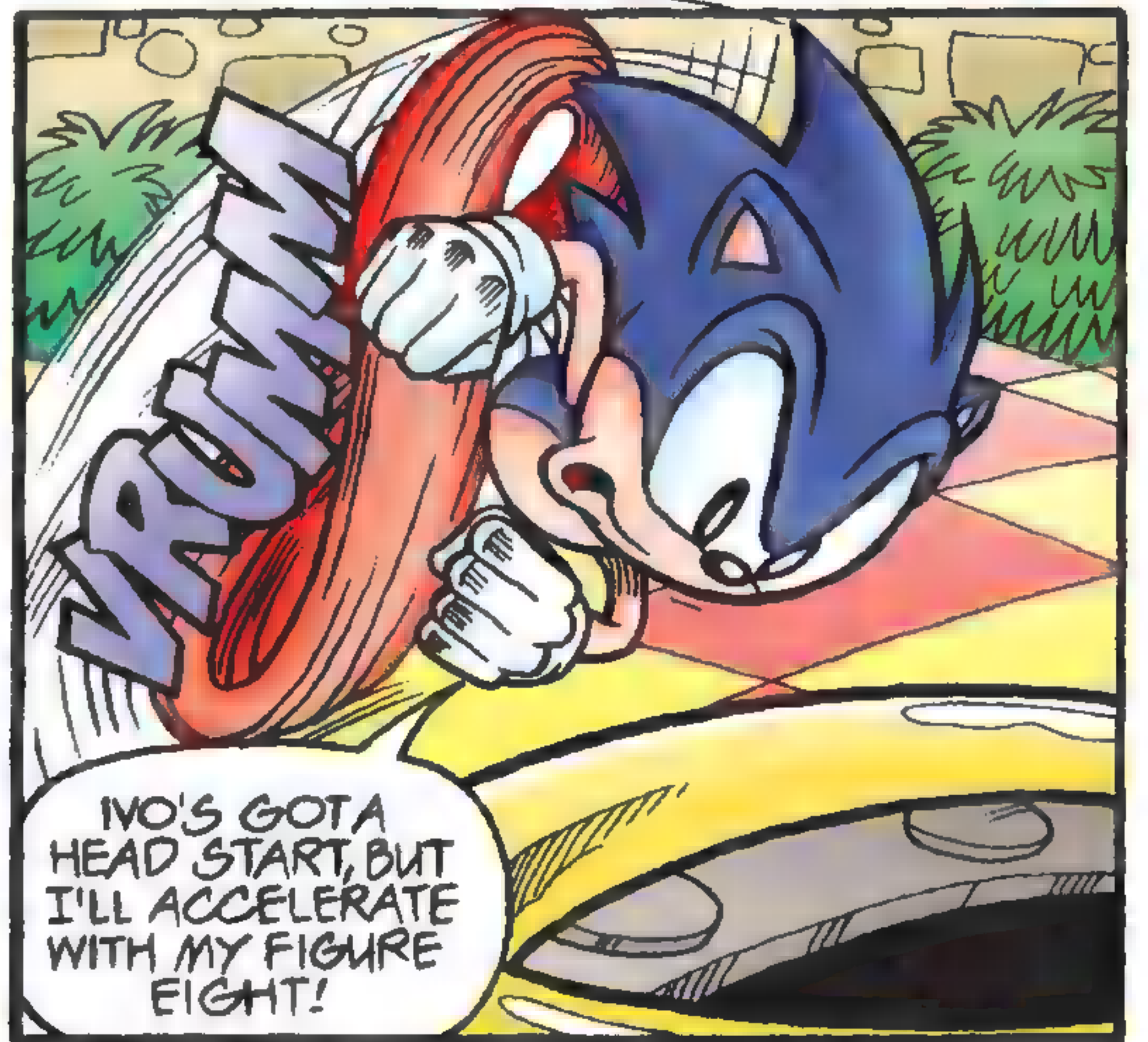
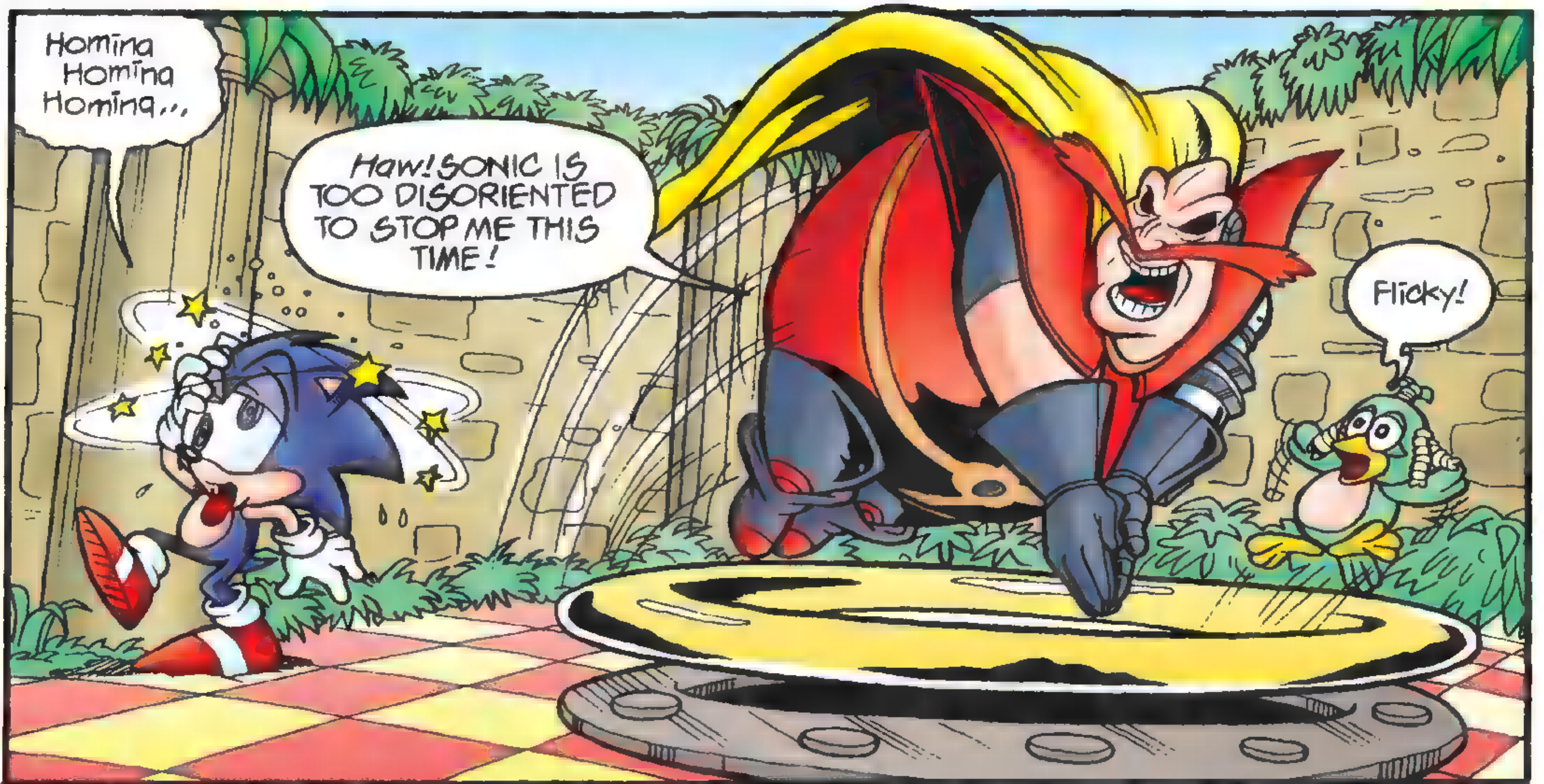
SHED THIS, HEDGEHOG!
MY GAUNTLET-MOUNTED
PARTICLE-BEAM!

KRAFT

GREAT BALLS
OF CHOLESTEROL--
IT VAPORIZED
HIM!

KRON





HAW! SONIC WAS ILL-PREPARED FOR ME TO AMBUSH HIM IN MY NEW AND IMPROVED TECHNO BODYSHELL BATTLE SUIT!

Flicky!

THAT'S A NASTY EXO-SKELETON HE'S GOT...

SPECIAL BONUS PIN-UP!
SONIC VS ROBOTNIK
IN THE FLICKIE ZONE!

OW!

Flicky!

...BETTER START JUICIN'!

HANG A LOUIE!!!

...GAVE ME...

...ENOUGH EXTRA POWER TO CRACK THIS ROBOHUSK!

Nooo!

...THAT HIDDEN SPIN-WHEEL...

ABANDON SHIP!

Flicky!

Flicky!

Flicky!

Flicky!

STAND BACK, BIRDS!

Flicky!

Flicky!

MISSED ME BY 5,280 FEET!

Flicky!

THE KIND OF HELP...

YEE-HAW!

Flicky!

ALL KIDDING ASIDE, I NEED HELP DEALING WITH OLD IRONSIDES!

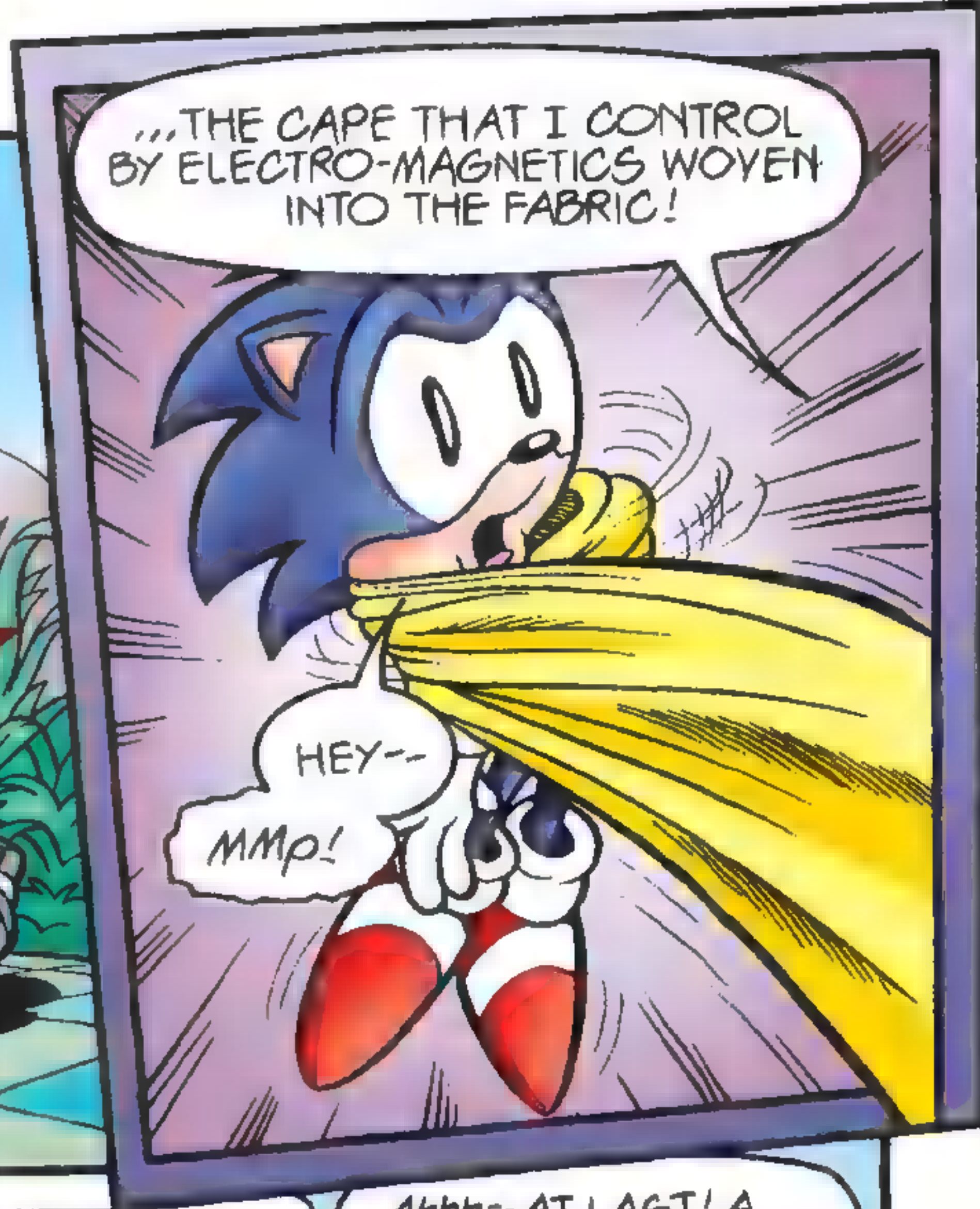
OH, NO... CHOKES IS THIS THE END OF RICO-- Err... I MEAN ROBO?

Flicky!



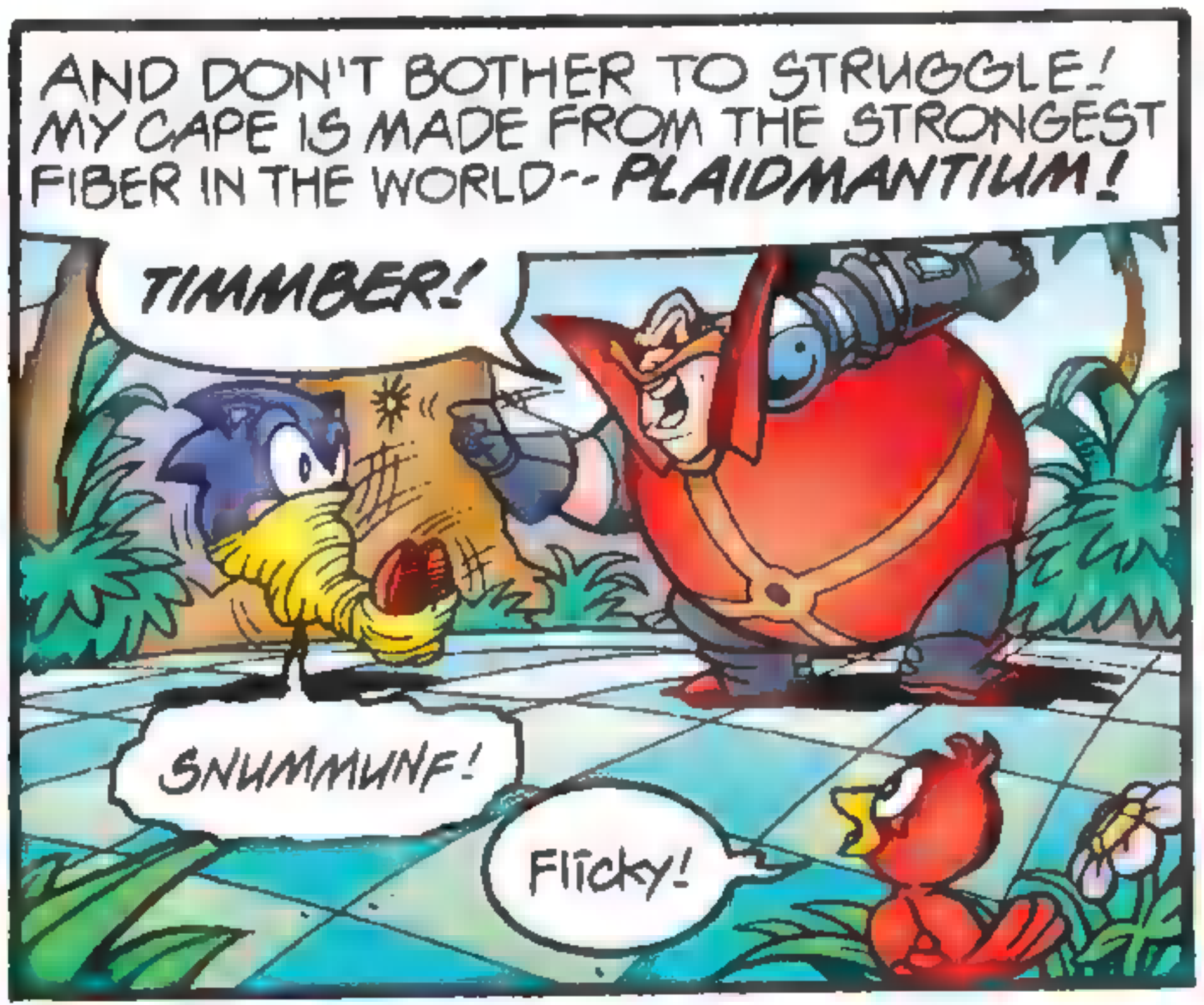
C'MON--GET UP! I FEEL LIKE HUMILIATING YOU FOR ANOTHER COUPLE OF PAGES!

HOW FORTUITOUS OF YOU TO GRAB ME BY THE CAPE...



...THE CAPE THAT I CONTROL BY ELECTRO-MAGNETICS WOVEN INTO THE FABRIC!

HEY--
MMP!



AND DON'T BOTHER TO STRUGGLE! MY CAPE IS MADE FROM THE STRONGEST FIBER IN THE WORLD-- **PLAIDMANTIUM!**

TIMBER!

SNUMMUNF!

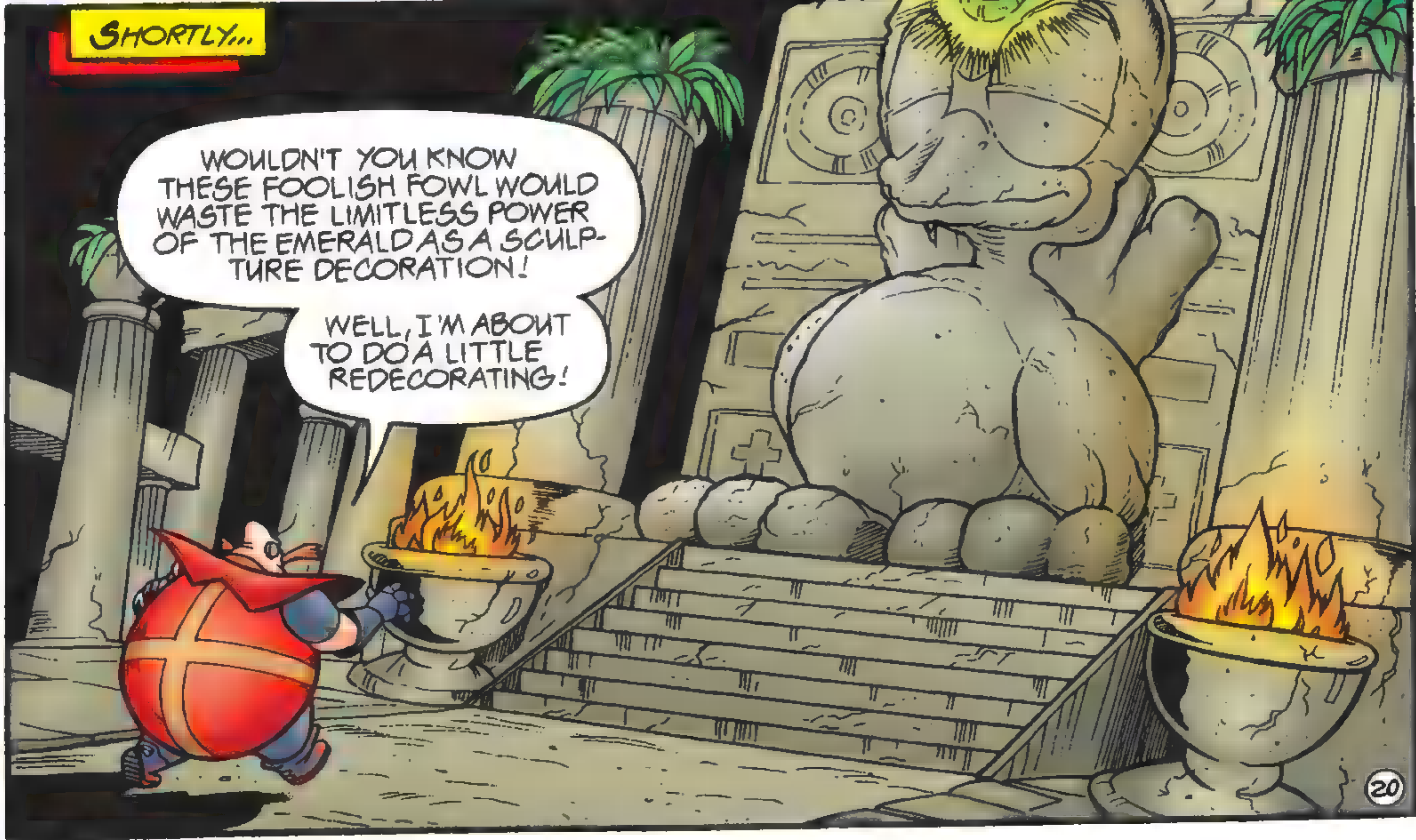
Flicky!



Urrgh! THE ROBO-RAT'S GOT ME THIS TIME! AND HE'S SPOTTED THE LOCATION OF THE CHAOS EMERALD!

Ahhh--AT LAST! A GREEN LIGHT AT THE END OF THE TUNNEL!

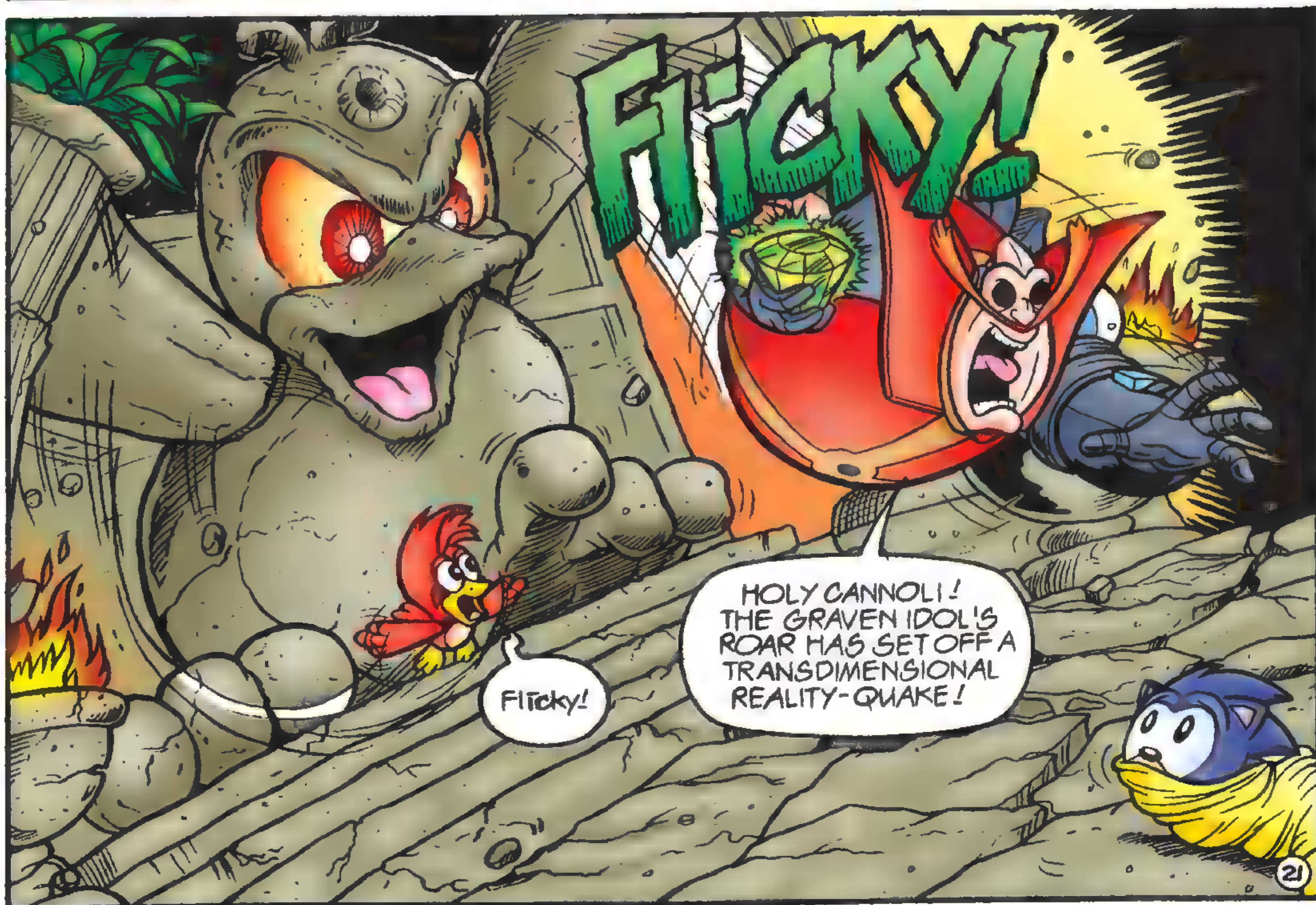
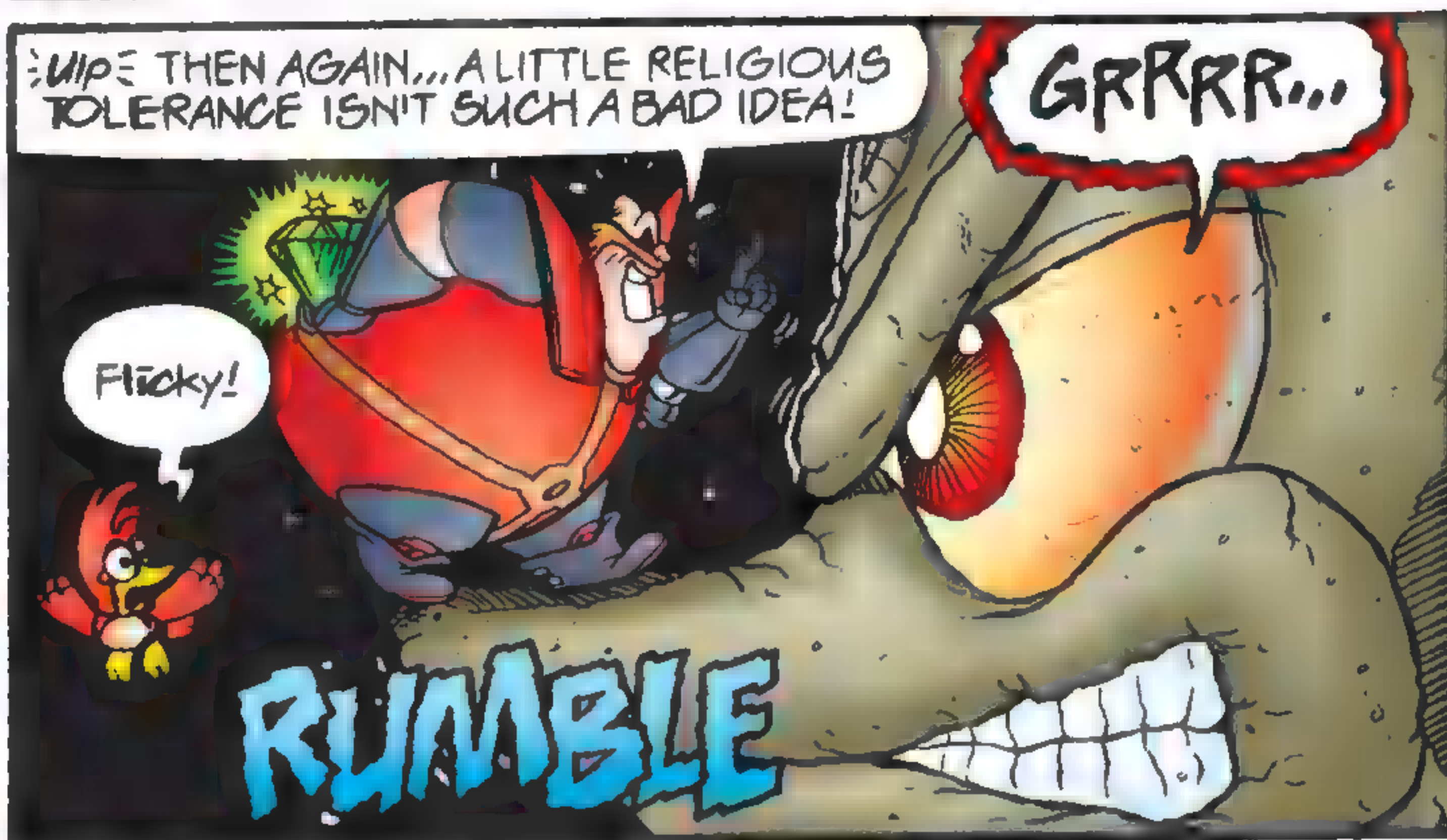
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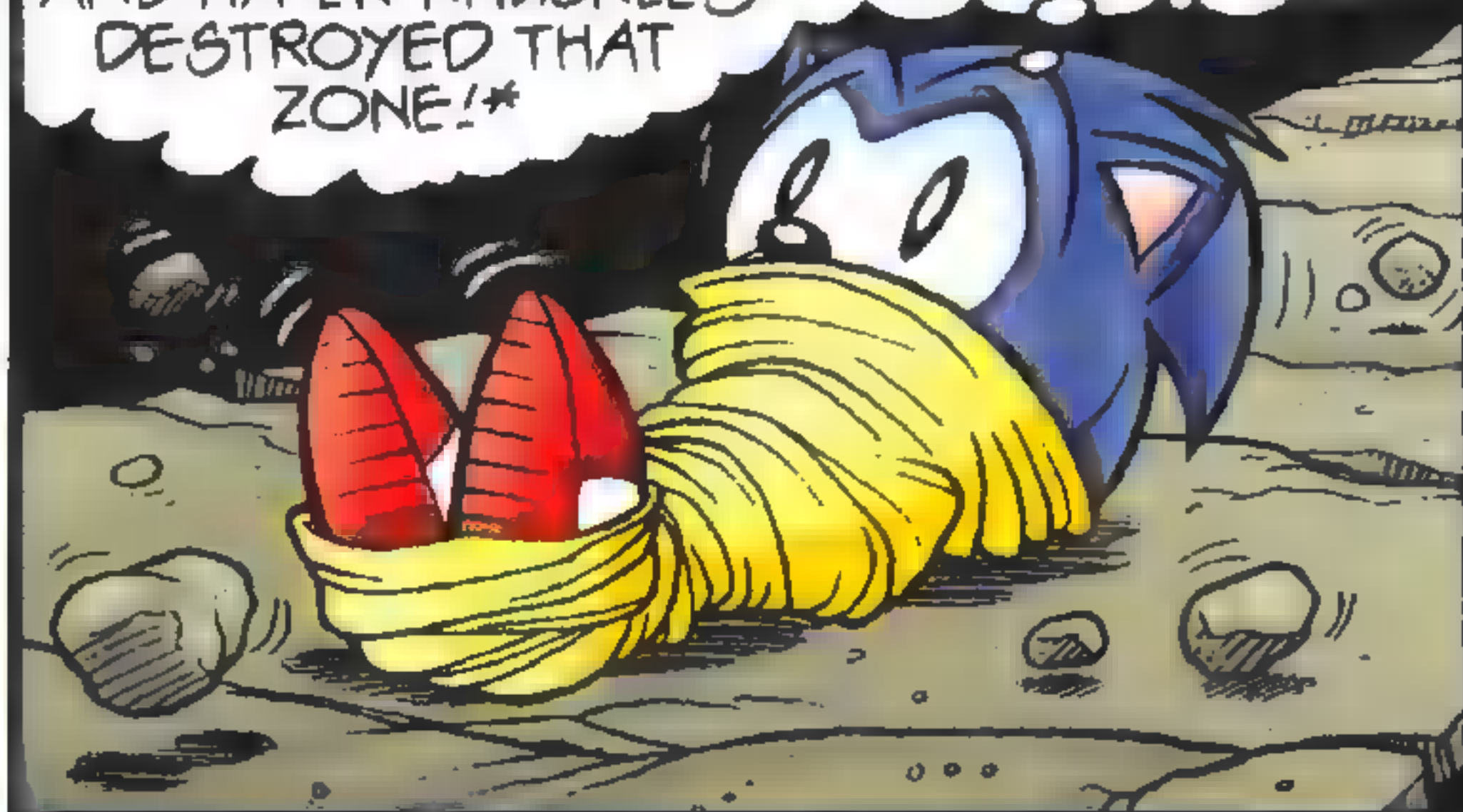
SHORTLY...

WOULDN'T YOU KNOW THESE FOOLISH FOWL WOULD WASTE THE LIMITLESS POWER OF THE EMERALD AS A SCULPTURE DECORATION!

WELL, I'M ABOUT TO DO A LITTLE REDECORATING!

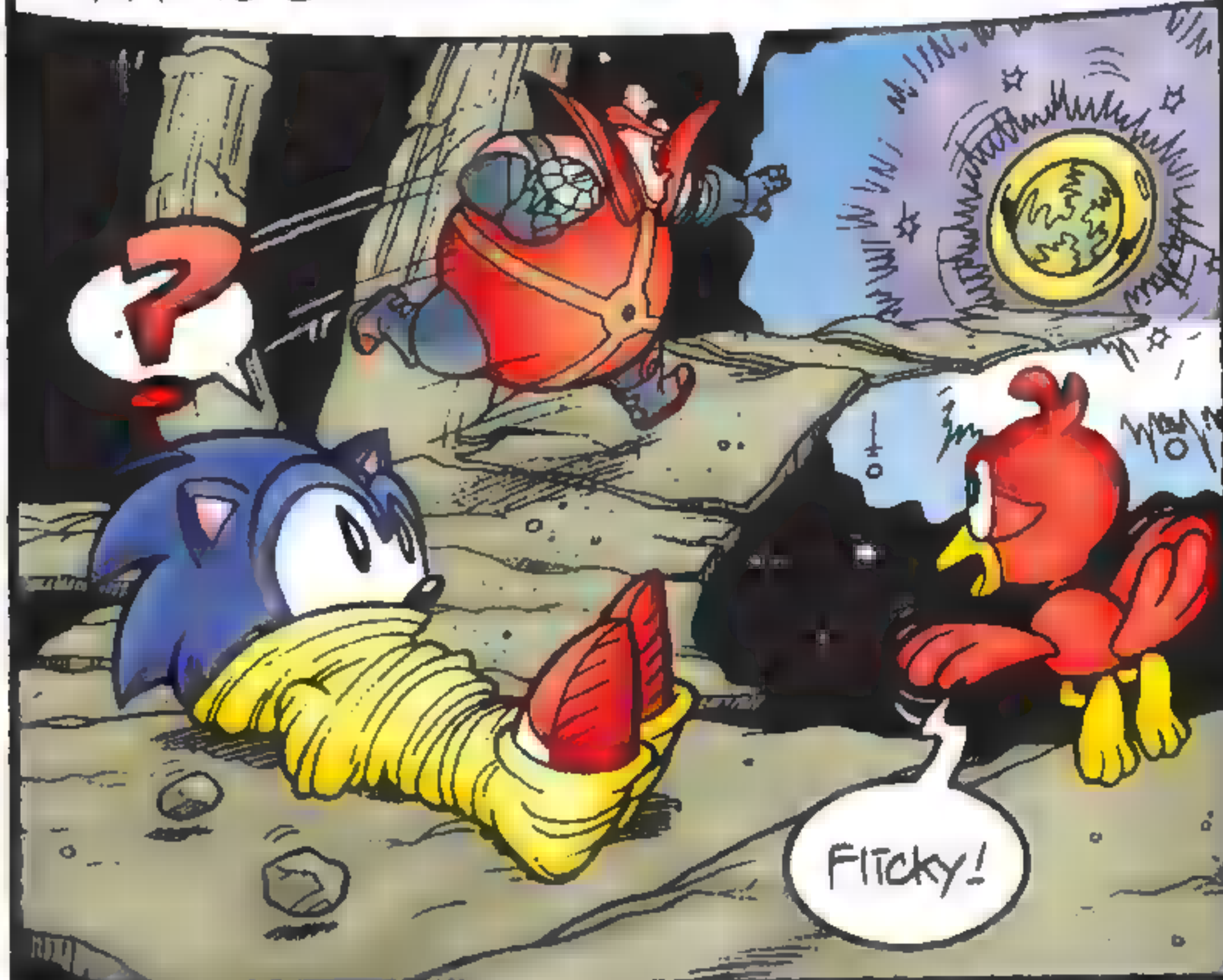


YIPE! I RECOGNIZE THAT SENSATION! I FELT IT ONCE BEFORE WHEN SUPER SONIC AND HYPER-KNUCKLES DESTROYED THAT ZONE!*



*SONIC REFERS TO THE EVENTS IN SONIC SELECT VOL.2 -- EDITOR

EGAD! THE FLICKIE ZONE IS COLLAPSING UPON ITSELF! EVEN THE MAGIC RING GATEWAY IS SHRINKING AS I SPEAK!



Fiecky!

ROBO'S RIGHT! I'VE GOTTA GET OUTTA HERE! THIS SCENE'S GIVING ME BAD VIBES--



WAIT--THAT'S IT! IF I VIBRATE AT MAXIMUM SPEED THE ATOMS IN MY SPINES WILL PASS THROUGH THE PLAIDMANTIUM CAPE!

BIP

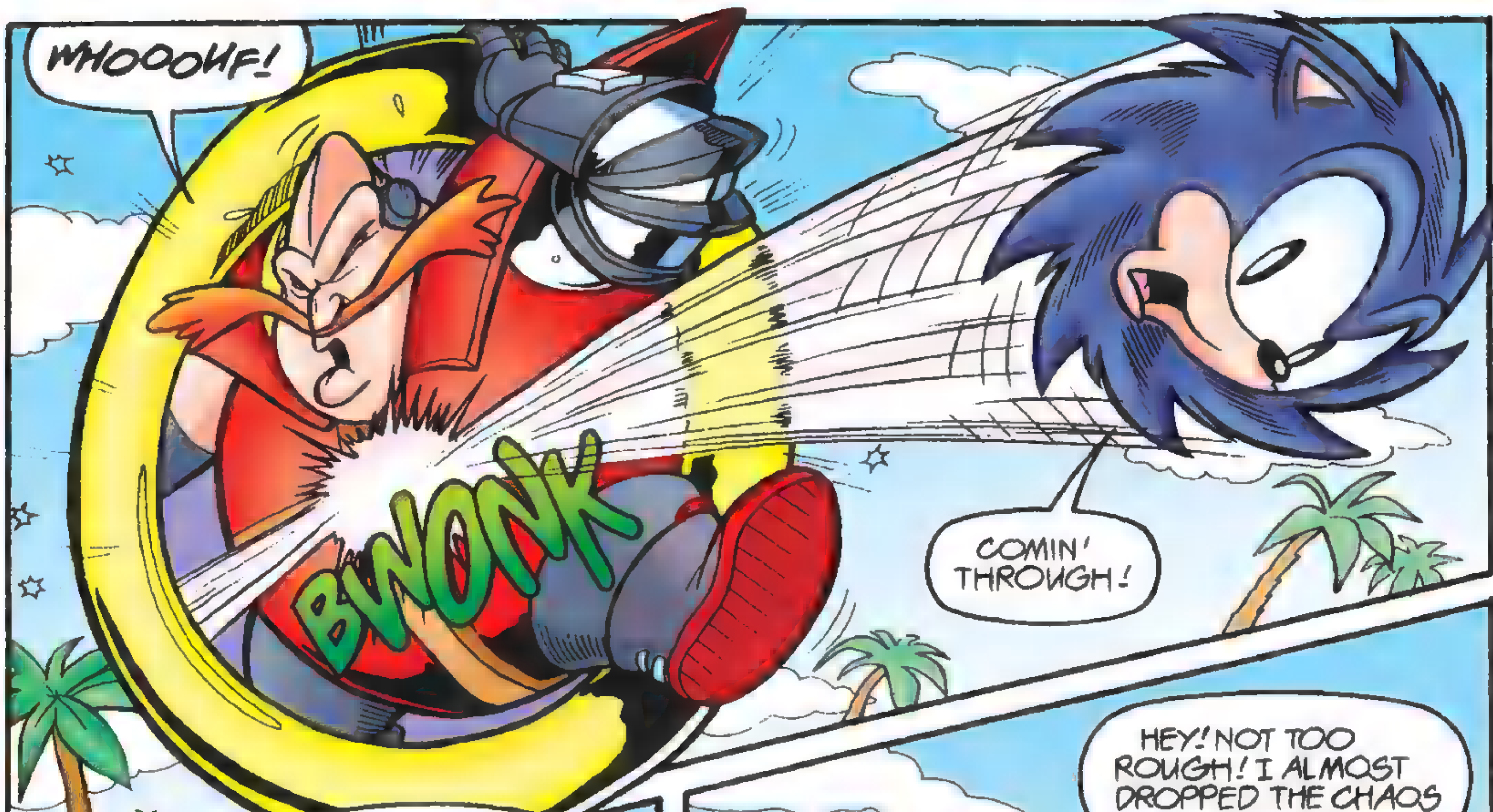
IT WORKED-- I'M FREE!

HOLD THE DOOR 10-W-40 BREATH!

WHAT THE-- SONIC? IMPOSSIBLE!

NO! STAY AWAY... DON'T--





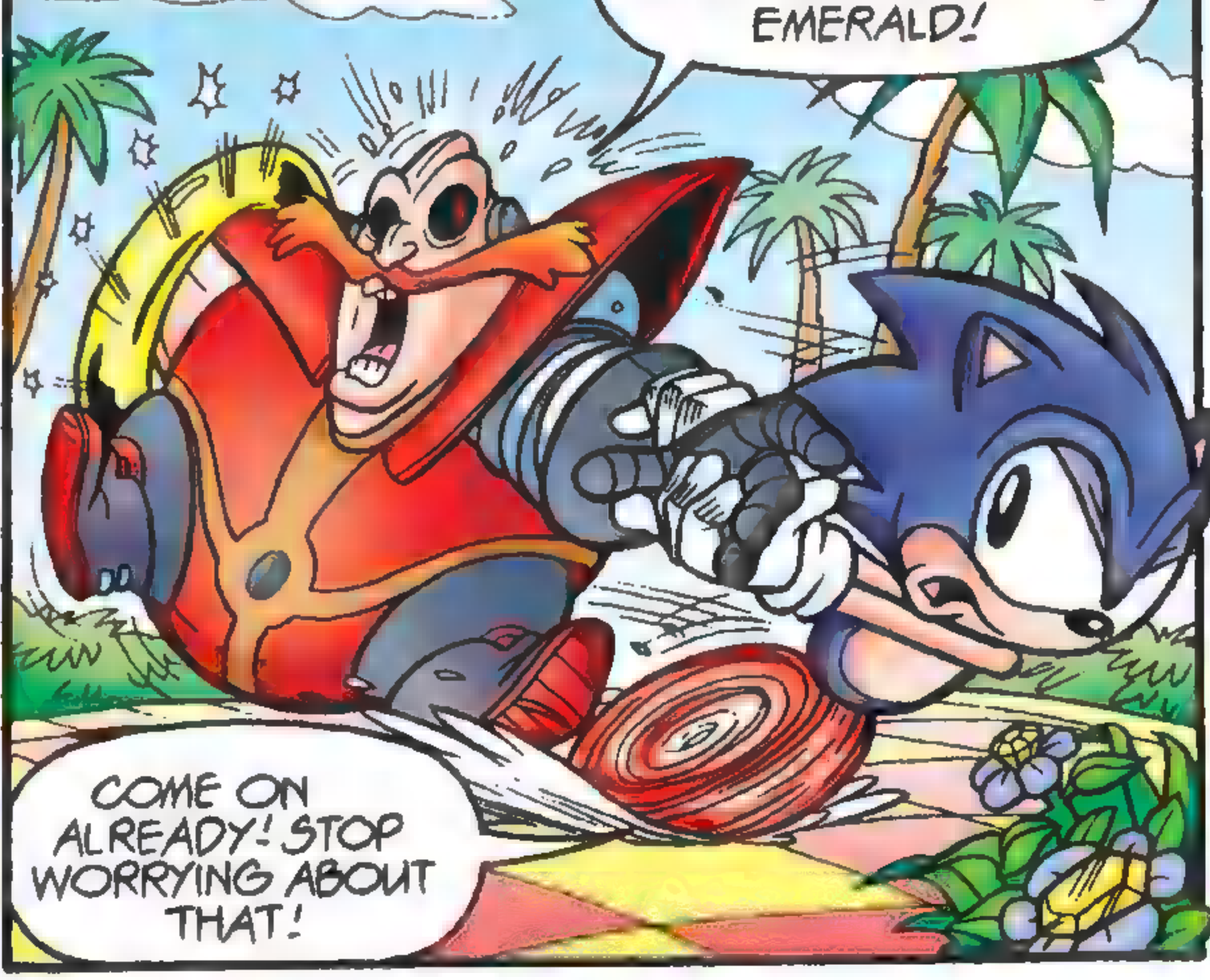
WHOOOOF!

COMIN' THROUGH!

AAARRR! THE PORTAL RING IS CLOSING! HELP ME, HEDGEHOG!

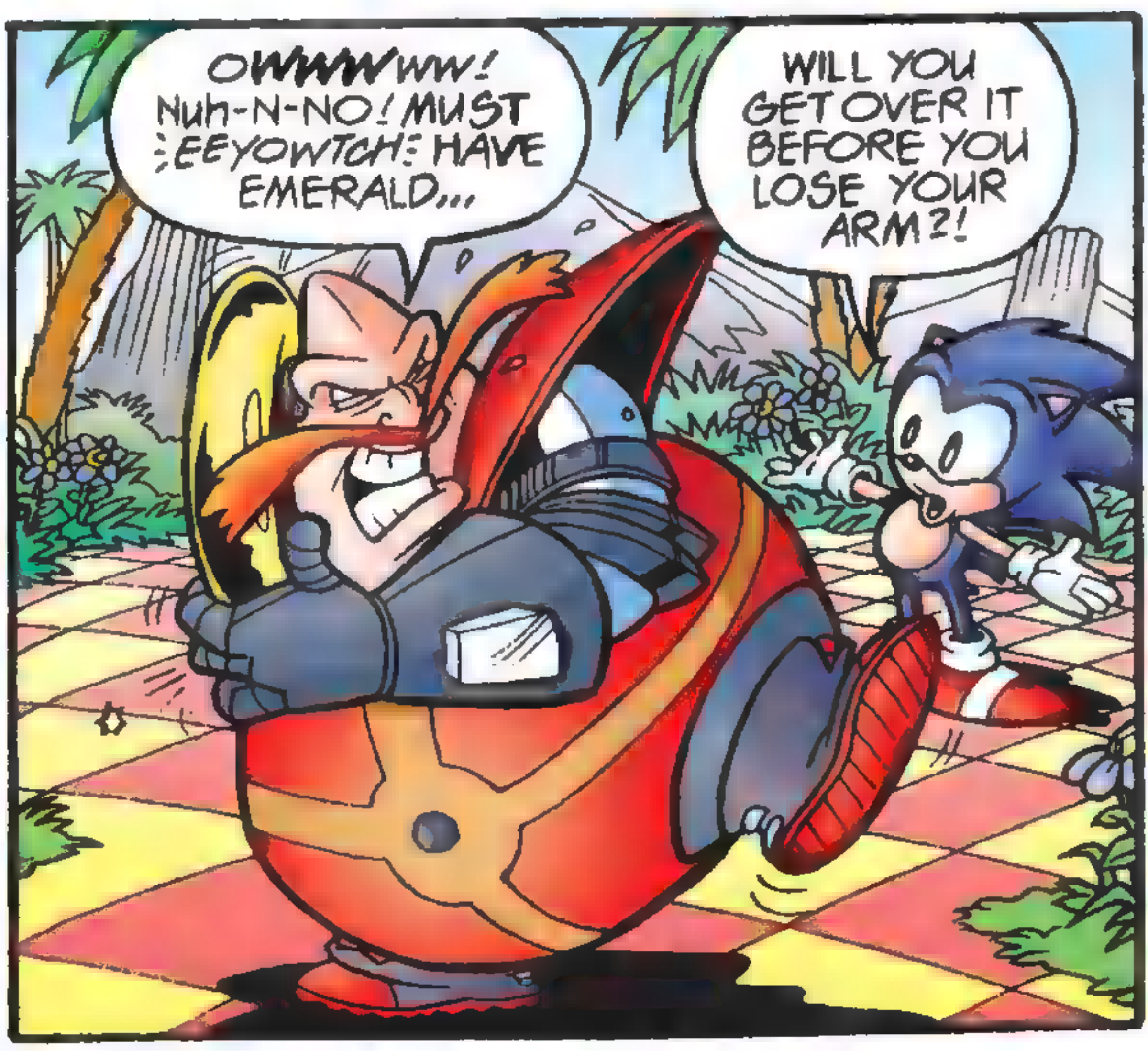


Grumble: IT'S HARD TO BE A HERO SOMETIMES...



HEY! NOT TOO ROUGH! I ALMOST DROPPED THE CHAOS EMERALD!

COME ON ALREADY! STOP WORRYING ABOUT THAT!



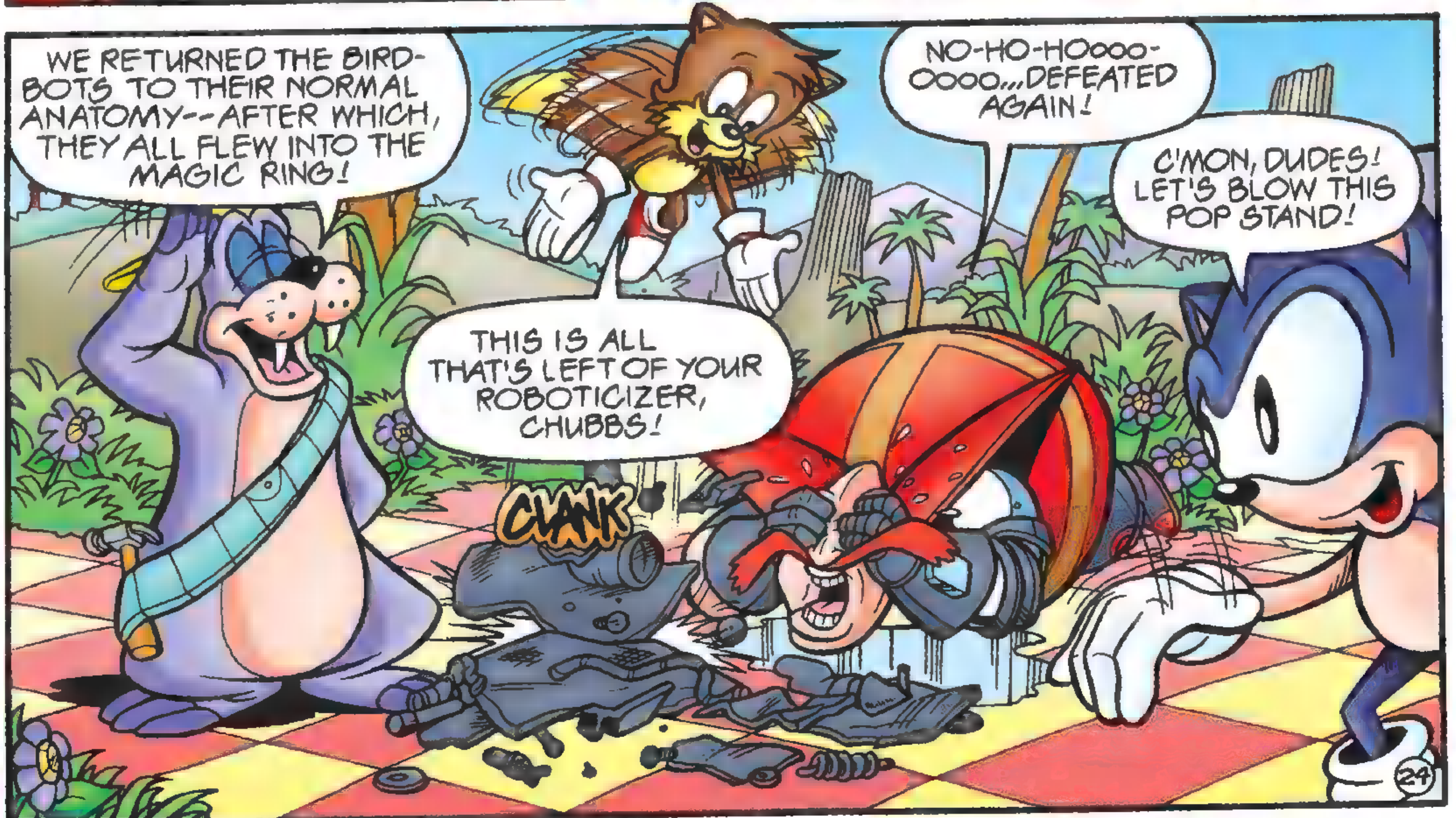
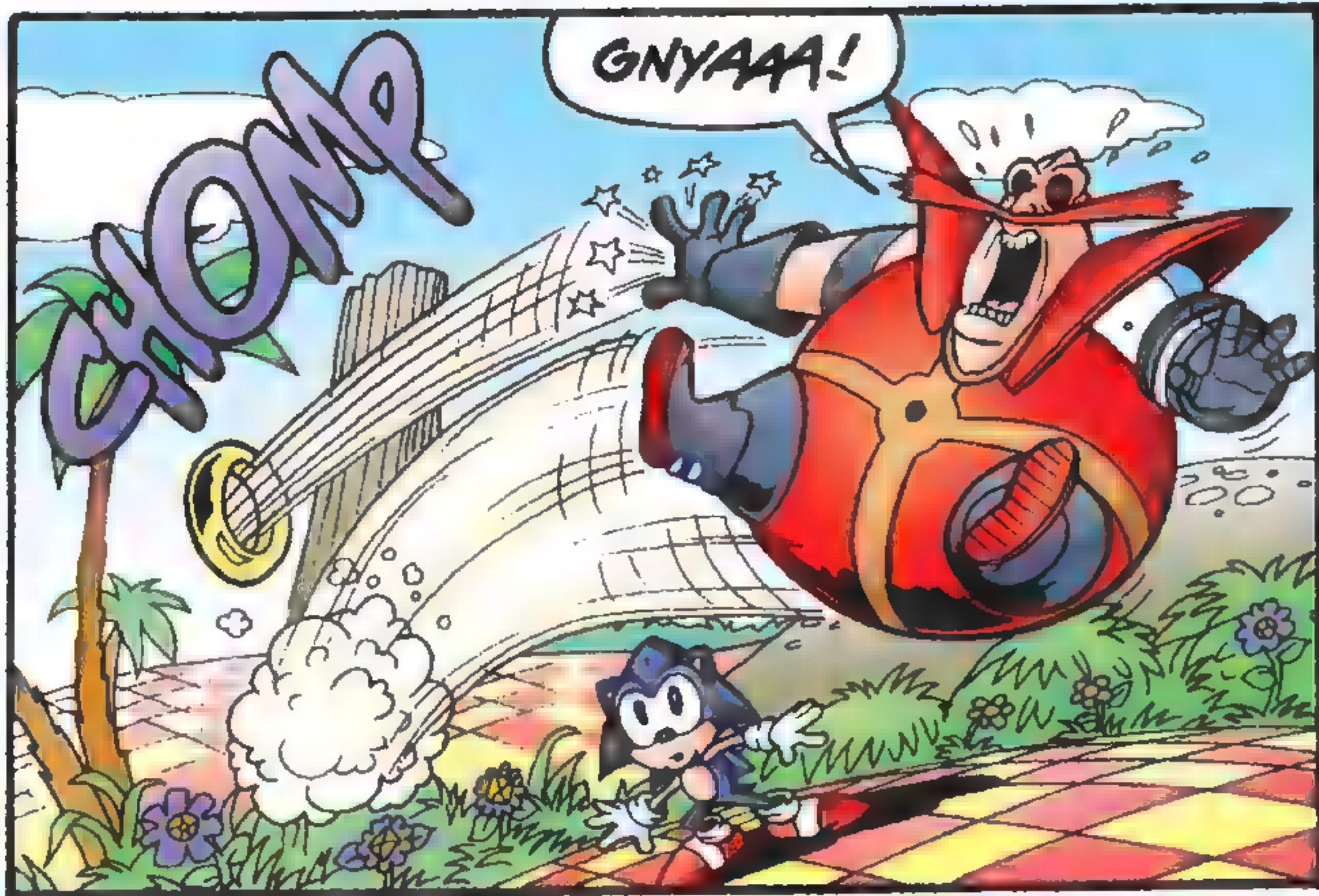
OWWWW! NUH-N-NO! MUST EEYOWTCH! HAVE EMERALD...

WILL YOU GET OVER IT BEFORE YOU LOSE YOUR ARM?!



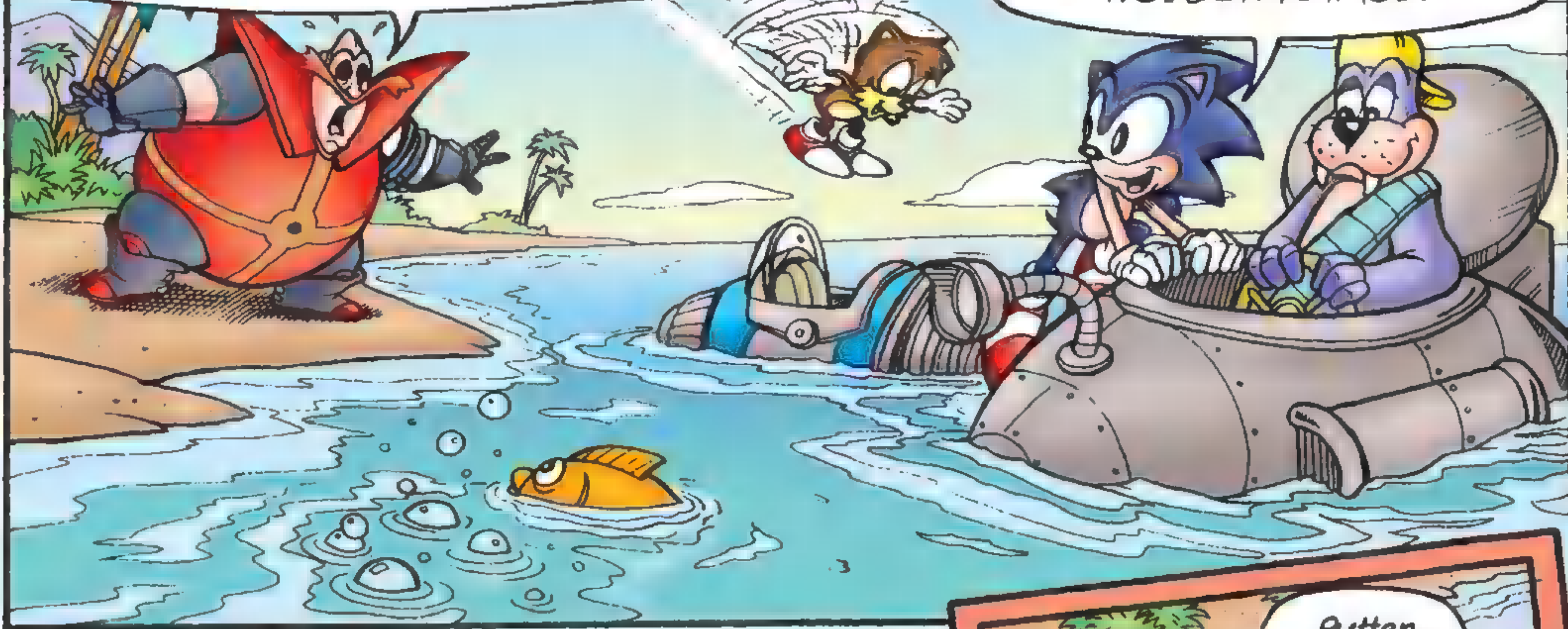
BACK INSIDE!

Flicky!



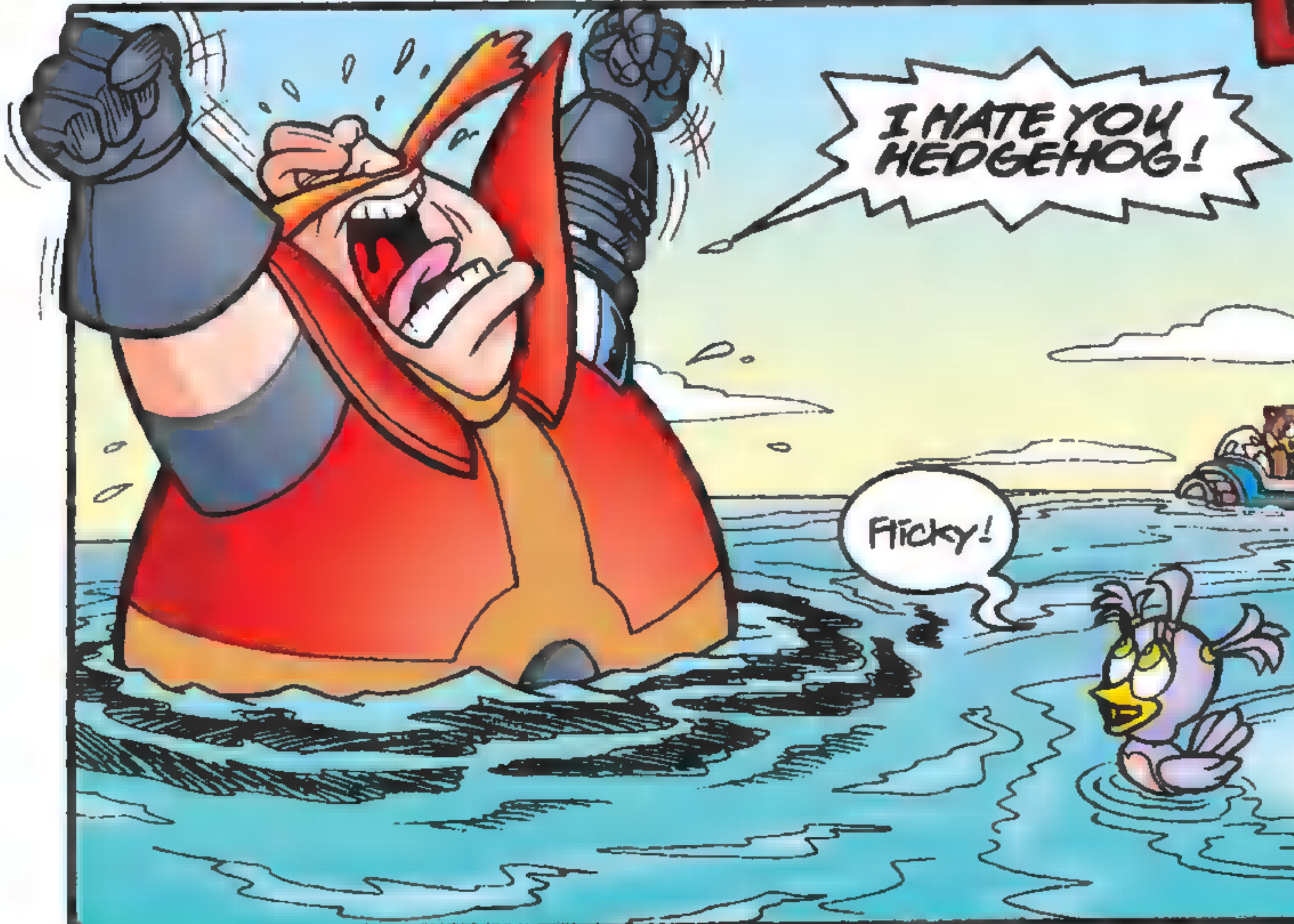
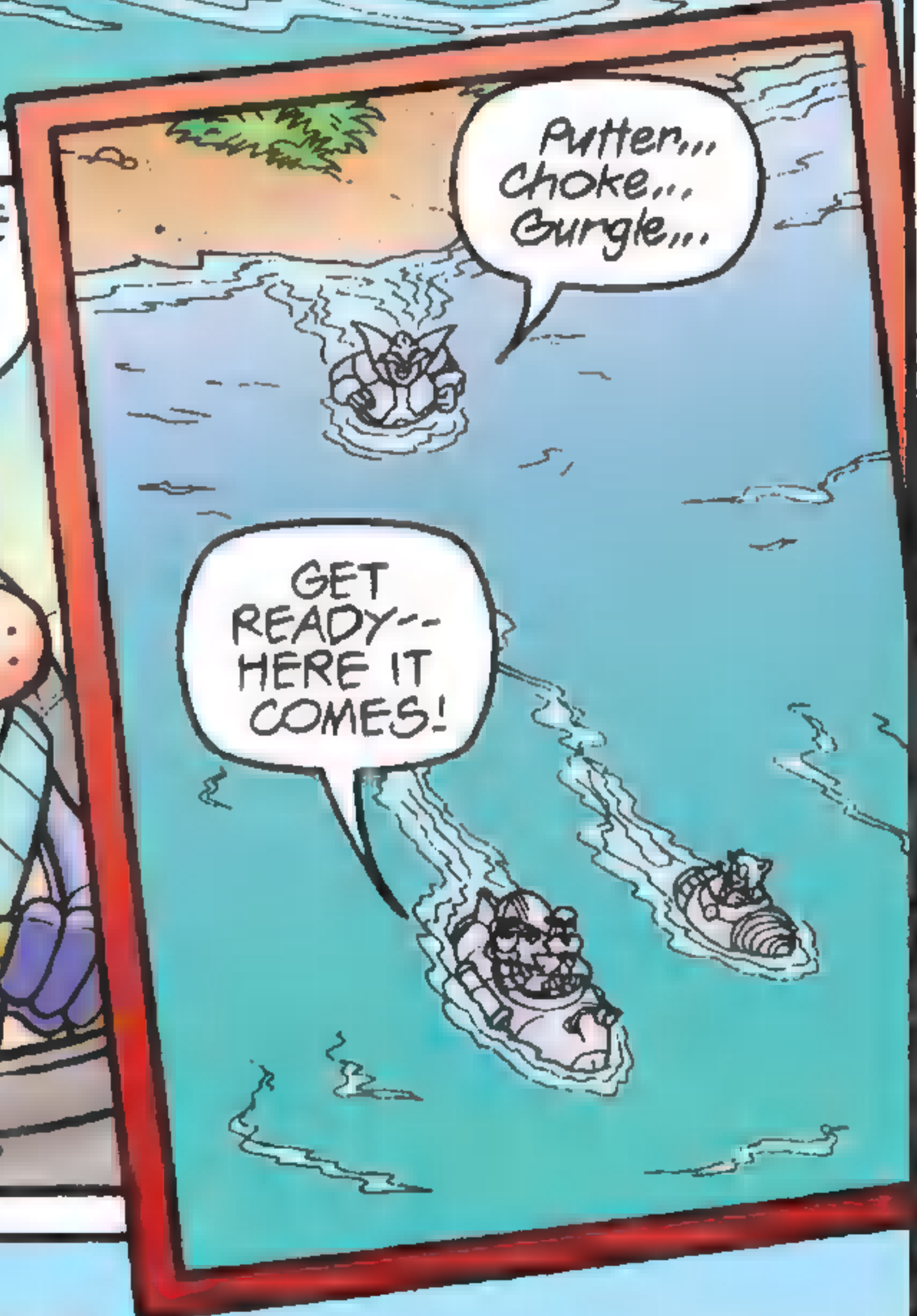
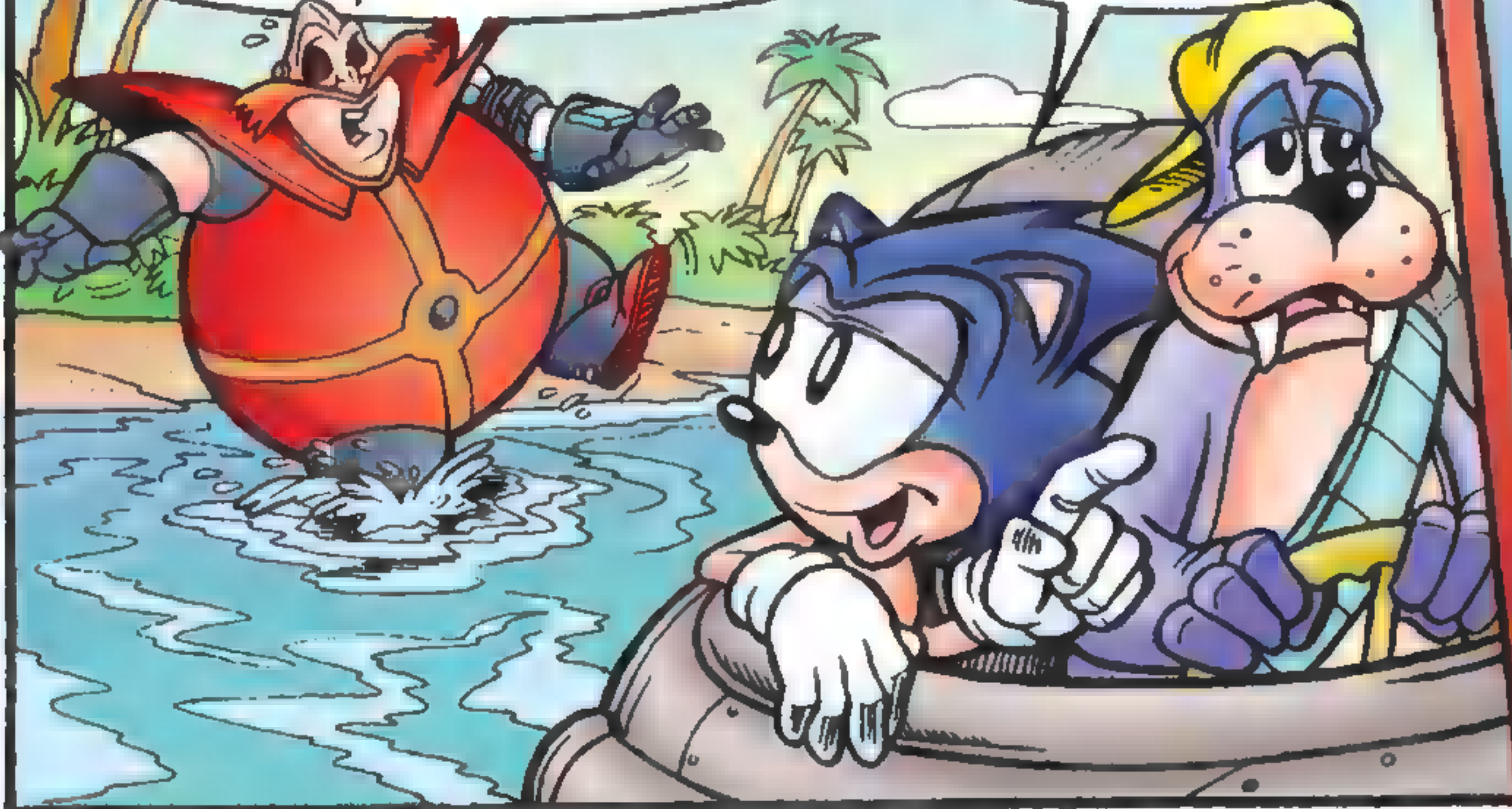
NOW HOLD ON! YOU DESTROYED MY EXOSKELETAL BATTLESUIT THAT FLEW ME HERE! HOW AM I SUPPOSED TO GET HOME?

YOU'RE NOT! FLICKIE ISLAND IS NOW YOUR PRISON FOR A FEW CONSECUTIVE LIFE TERMS, IVO! BON VOYAGE!

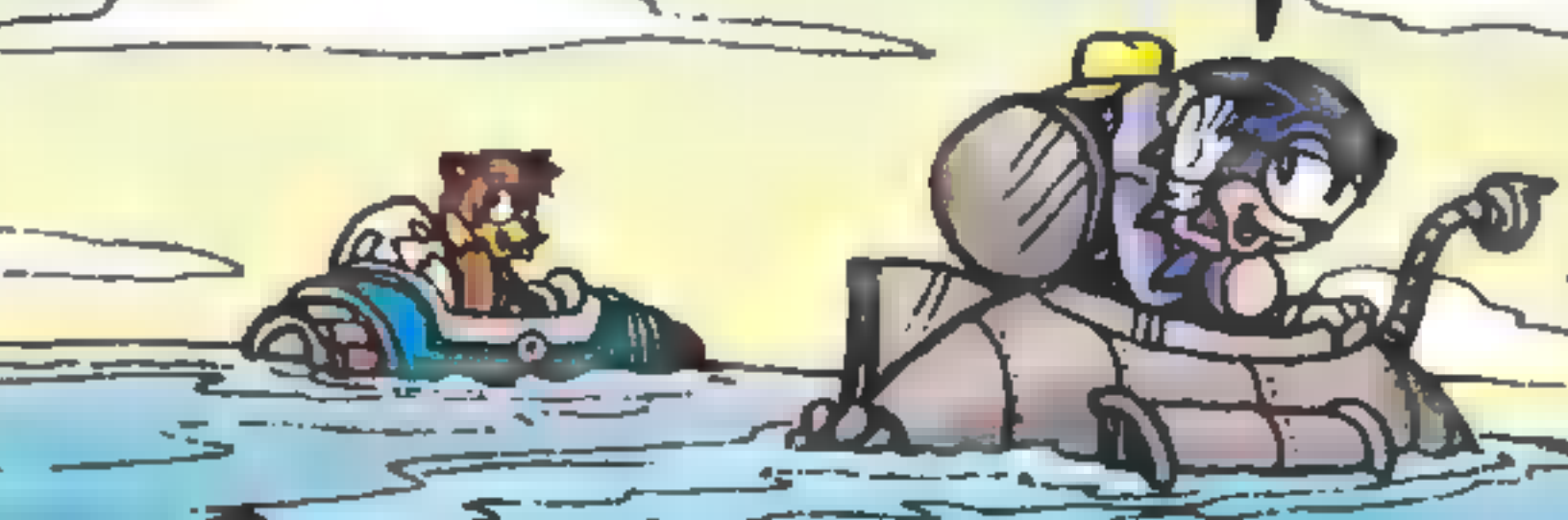


WAIT--COME BACK! DON'T MAROON ME ON THIS REMOTE ATOLL IN THE MIDDLE OF NOWHERE!

CAREFUL--YOU'RE LEAVING AN OIL SLICK ON THE WATER!



Ahhh--THAT'S TRAVELLIN' MUSIC TO MY EARS!



THE END

SONIC
THE HEDGEHOG™

Featuring
BUNNIE
RABBIT

IN

**BUGGED
BUNNY!**

SNIVELY!
HOW MUCH LONGER
MUST I WEAR THIS
**RIDICULOUS
DISGUISE?!**

SORRY, YOUR LEAFINESS,
BUT IT WAS NECESSARY TO
CAMOUFLAGE OURSELVES...



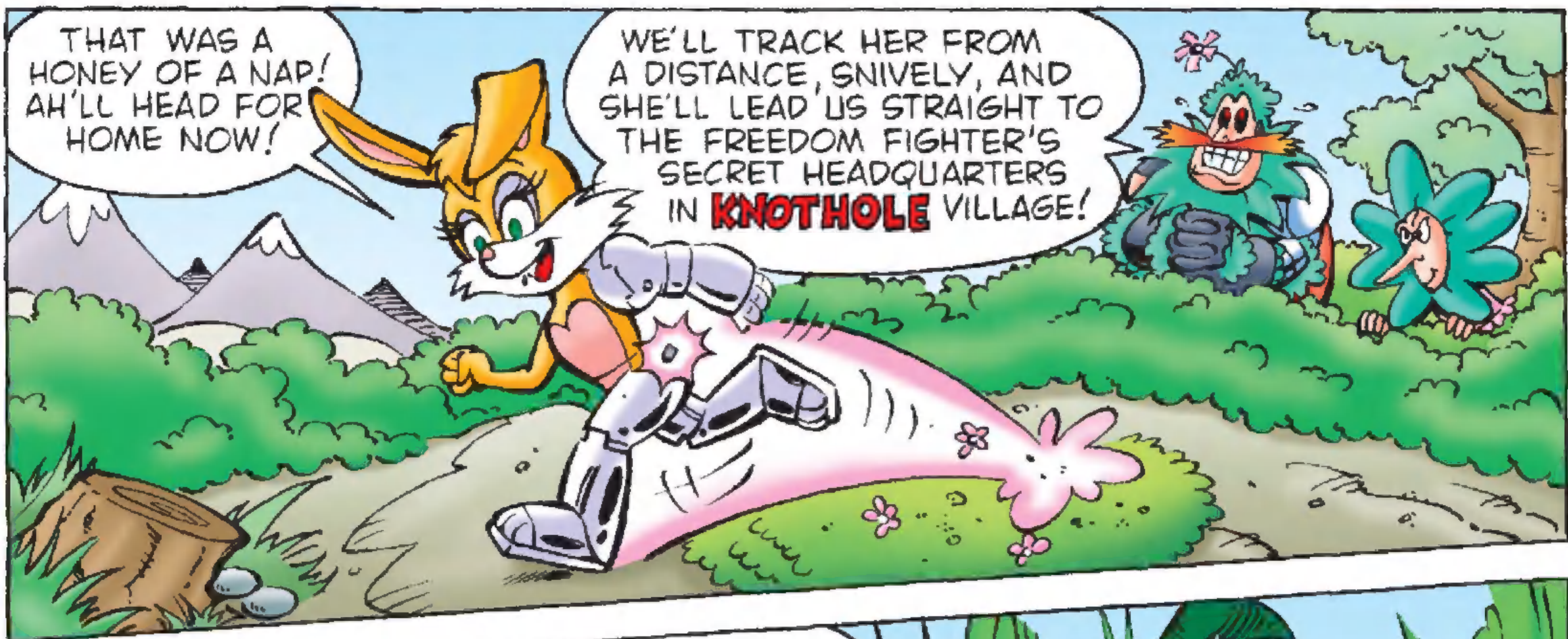
...SO THAT WE COULD SNEAK UP
ON THE FREEDOM FIGHTER KNOWN
AS "BUNNIE" AND PLANT A
TRACKING DEVICE ON HER!

GET IT, SIR?
"PLANT" A
DEVICE ON
HER!

QUIET, BEGONIA-BRAIN!
SHE'S WAKING UP!

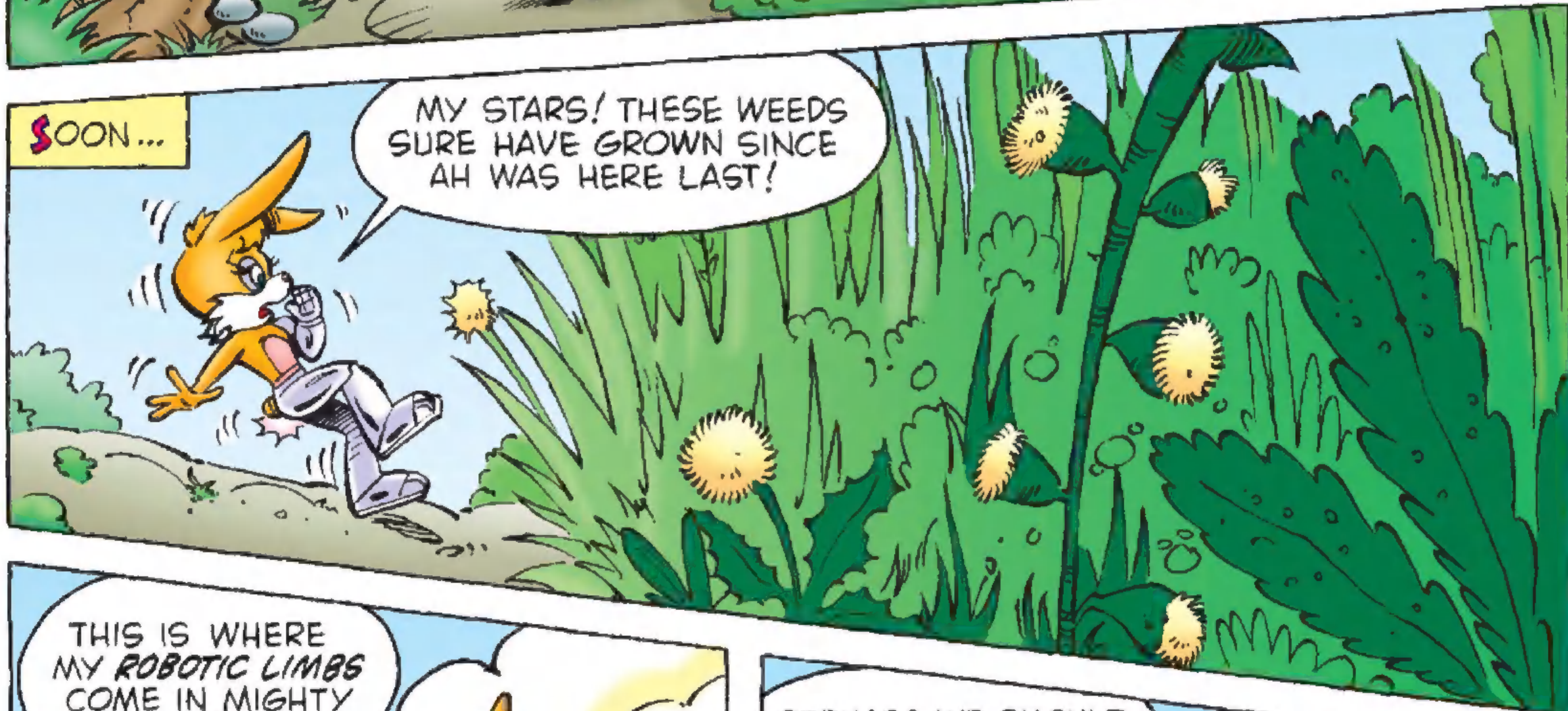
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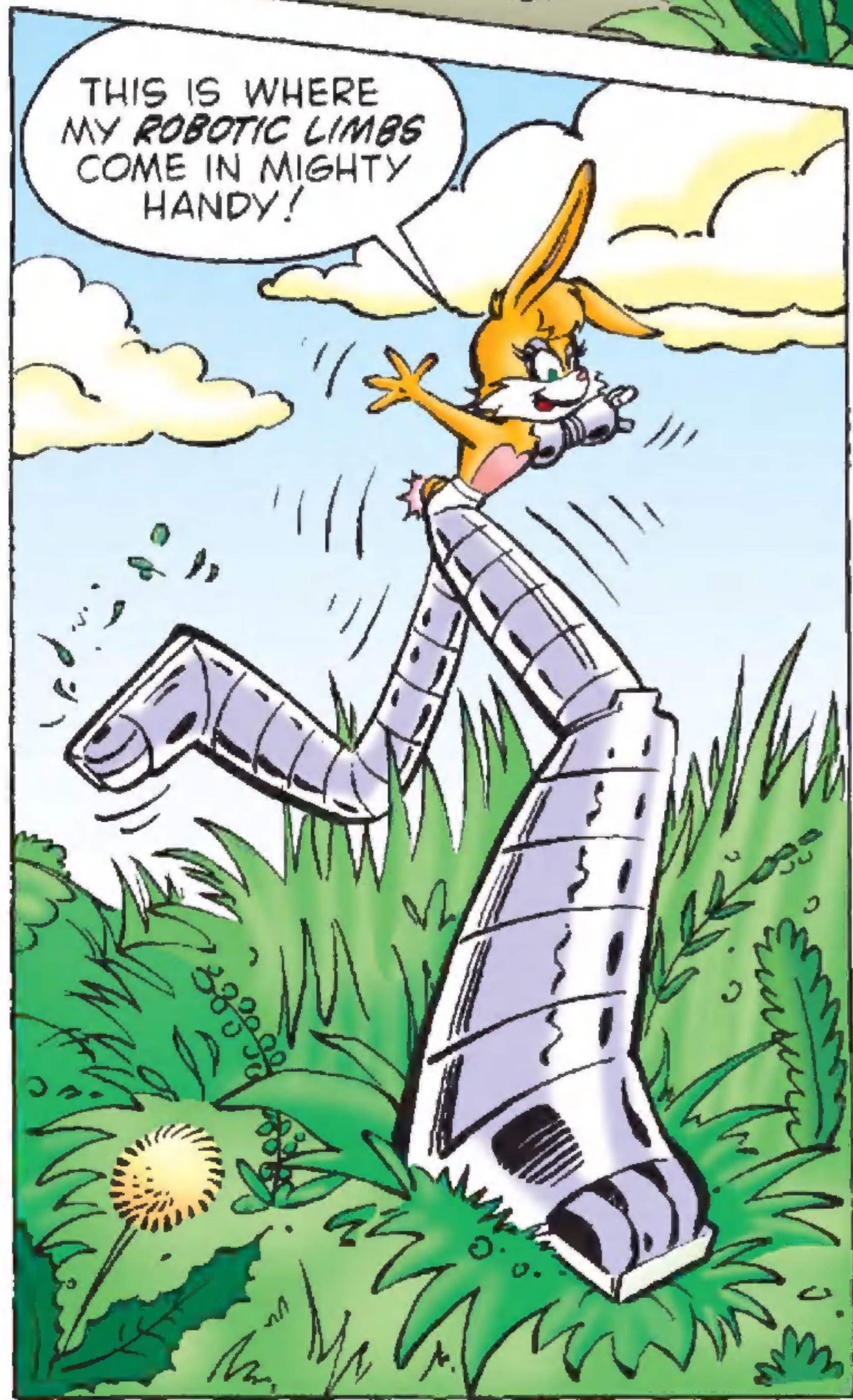
THAT WAS A HONEY OF A NAP! AH'LL HEAD FOR HOME NOW!

WE'LL TRACK HER FROM A DISTANCE, SNIVELY, AND SHE'LL LEAD US STRAIGHT TO THE FREEDOM FIGHTER'S SECRET HEADQUARTERS IN **KNOTHOLE** VILLAGE!

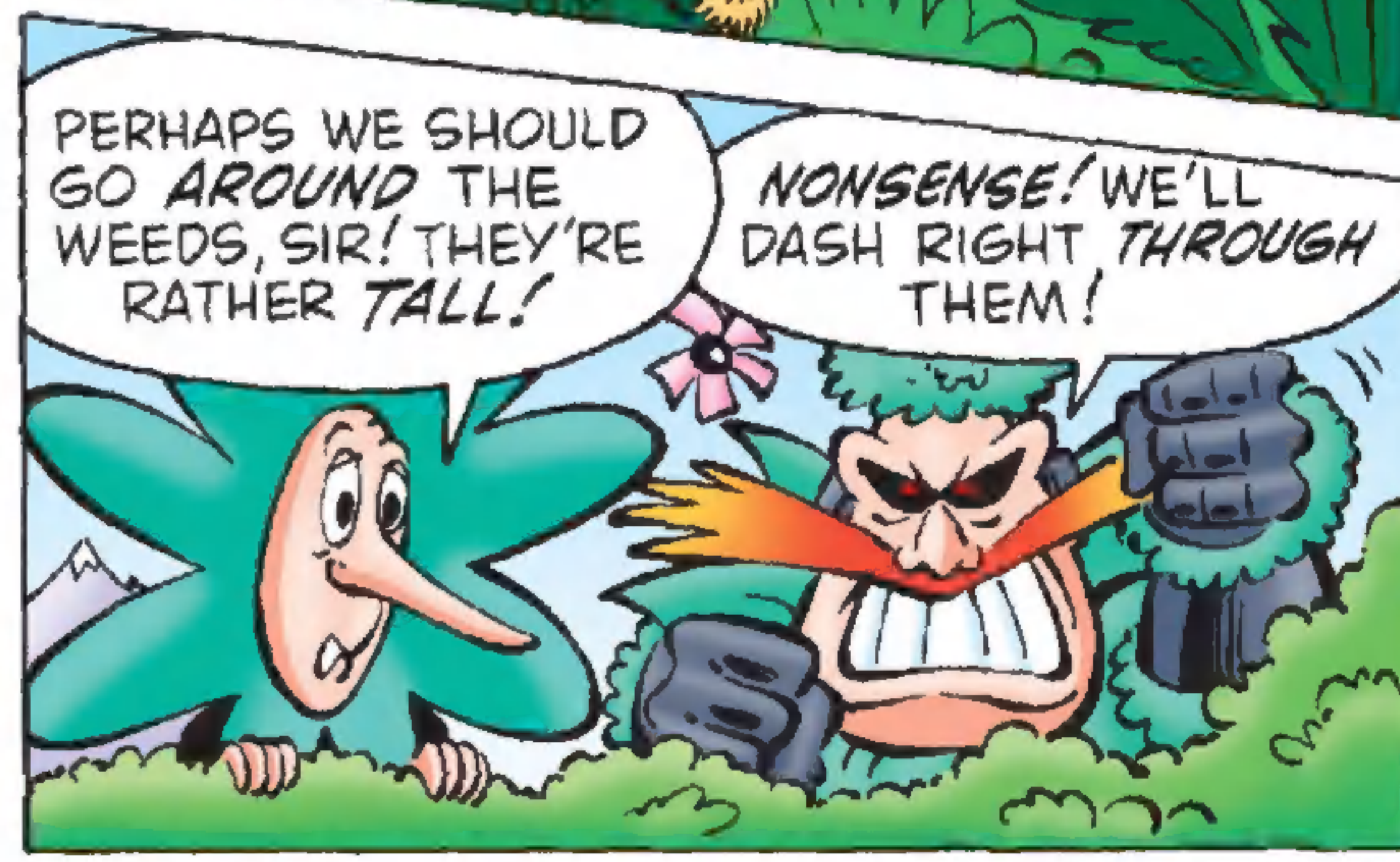


SOON...

MY STARS! THESE WEEDS SURE HAVE GROWN SINCE AH WAS HERE LAST!

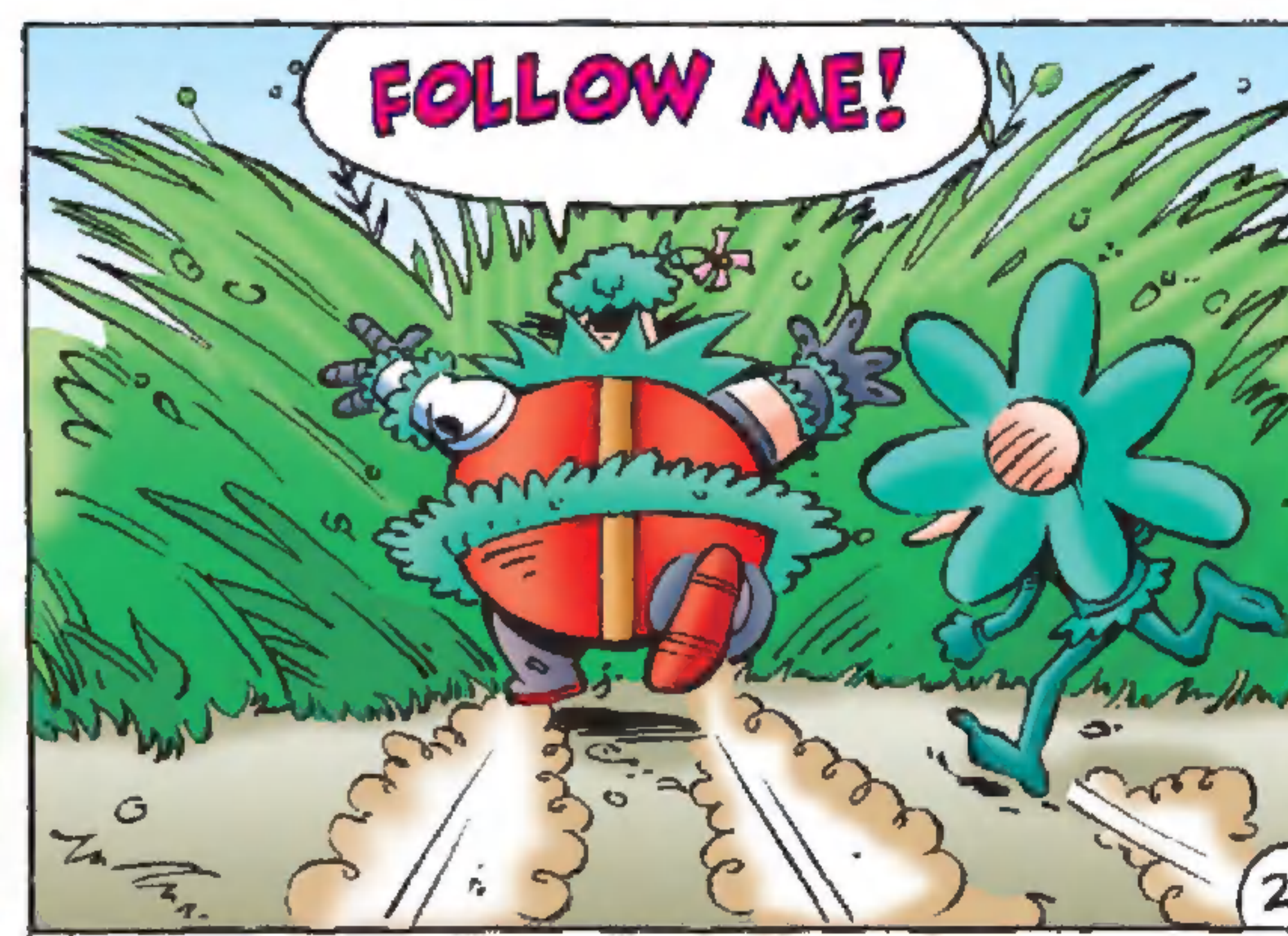


THIS IS WHERE MY **ROBOTIC LIMBS** COME IN MIGHTY HANDY!

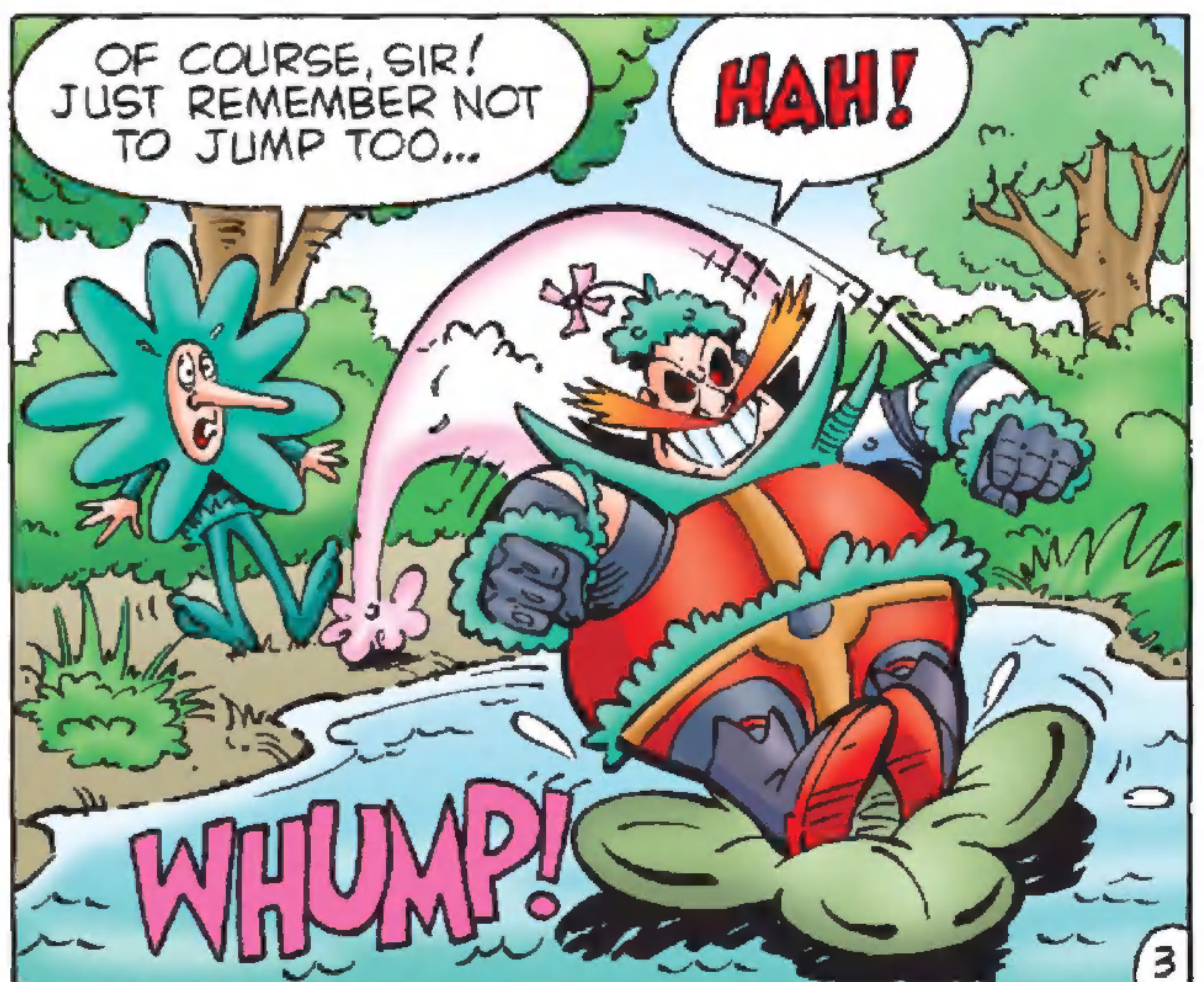
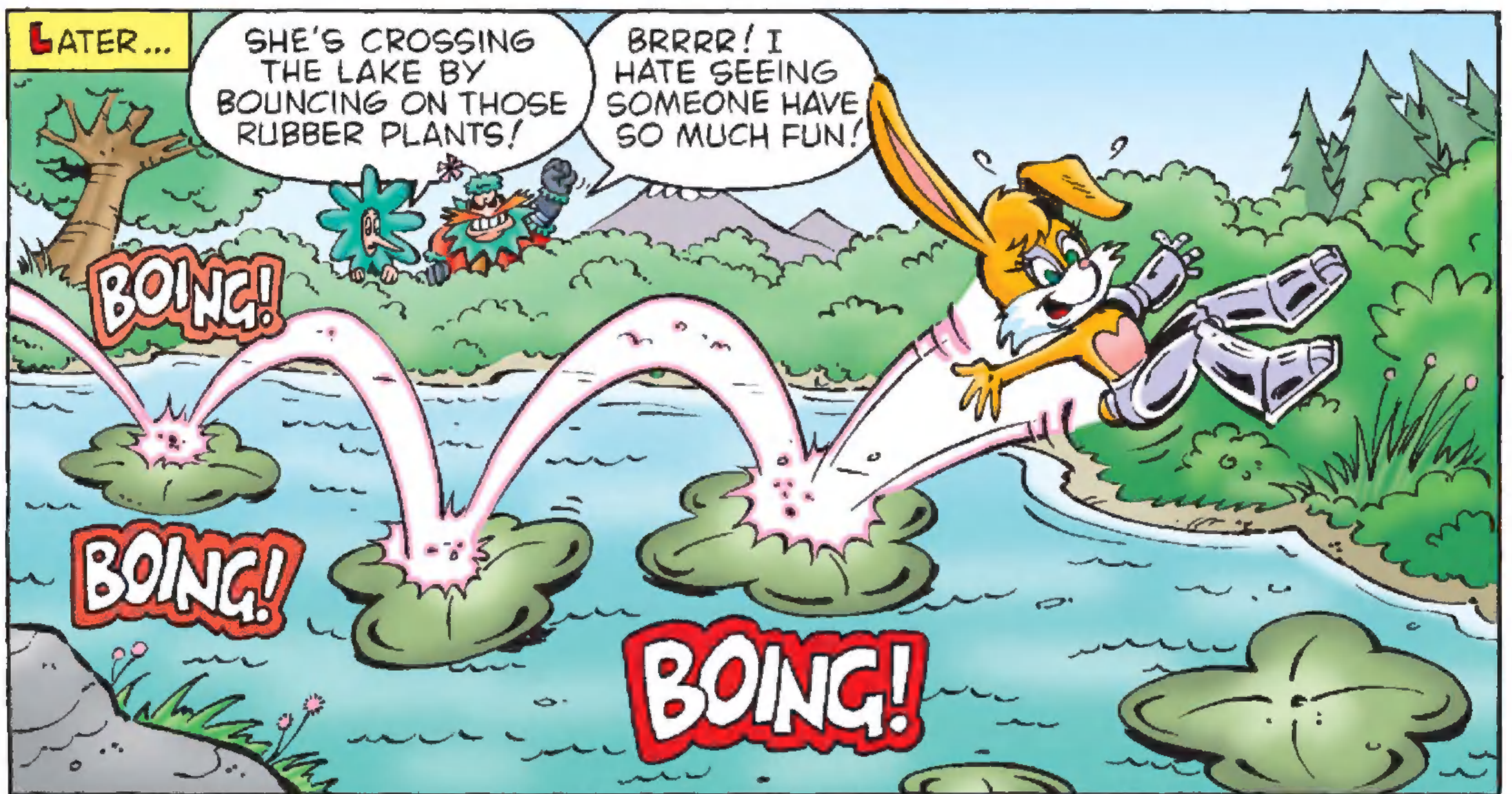
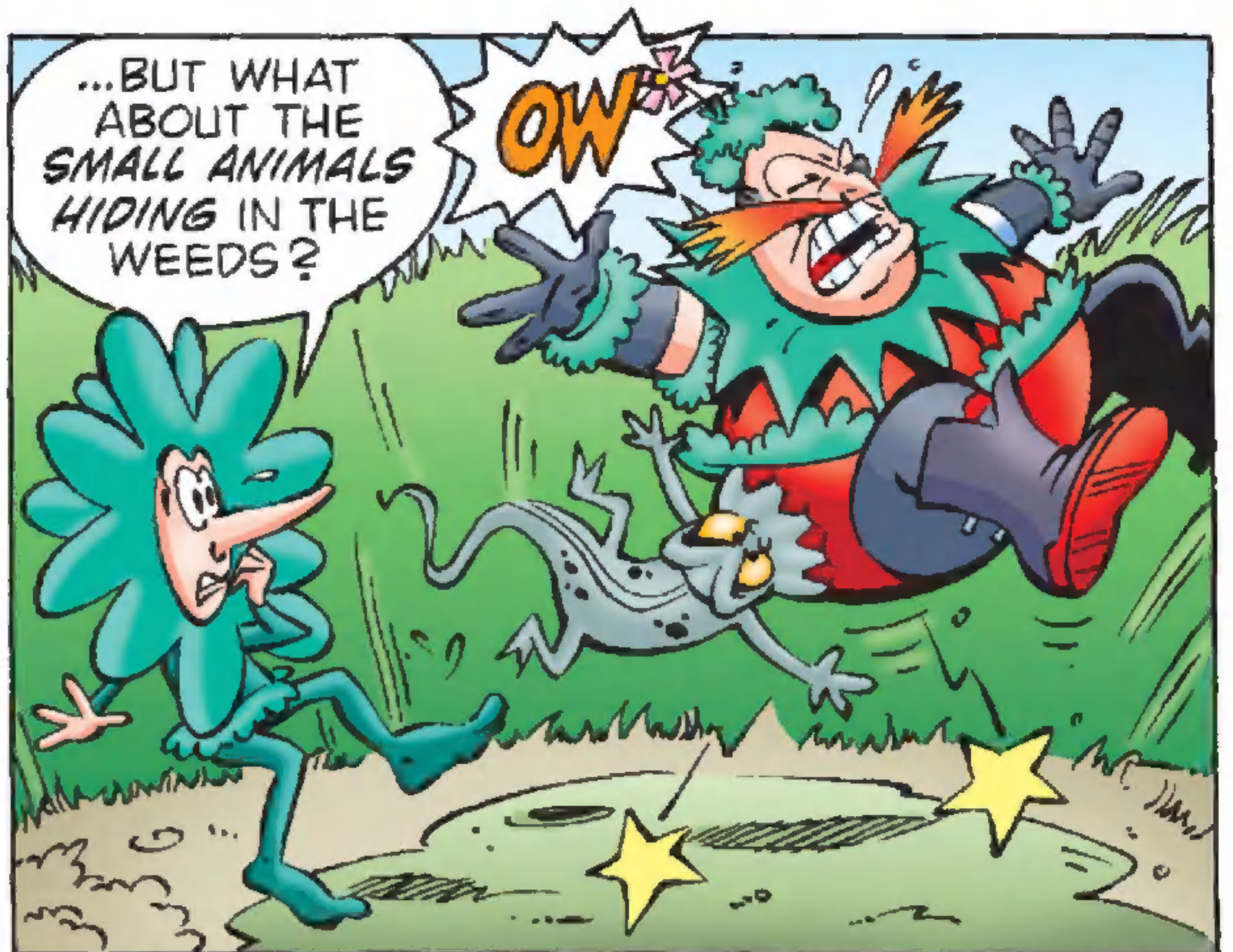


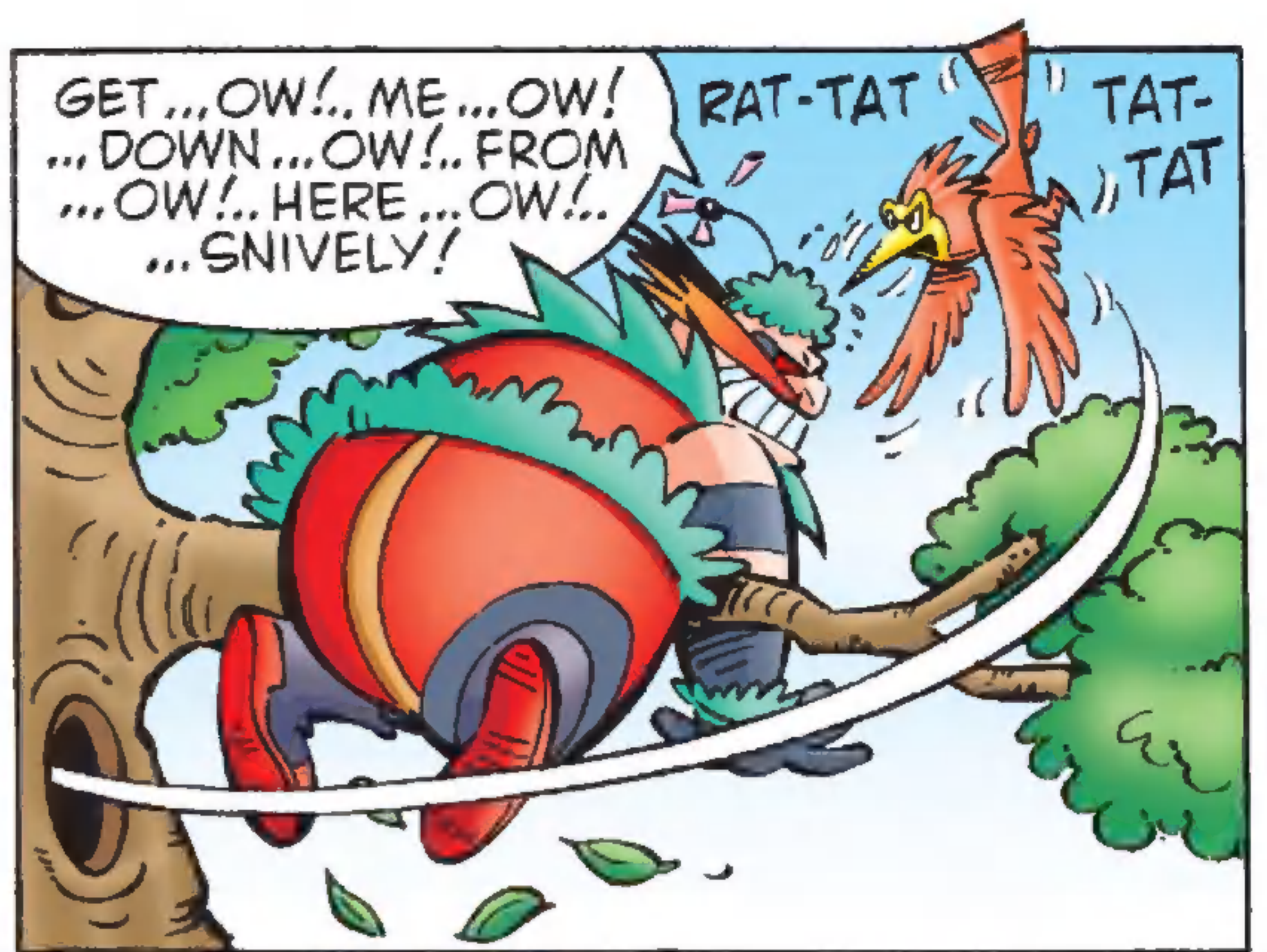
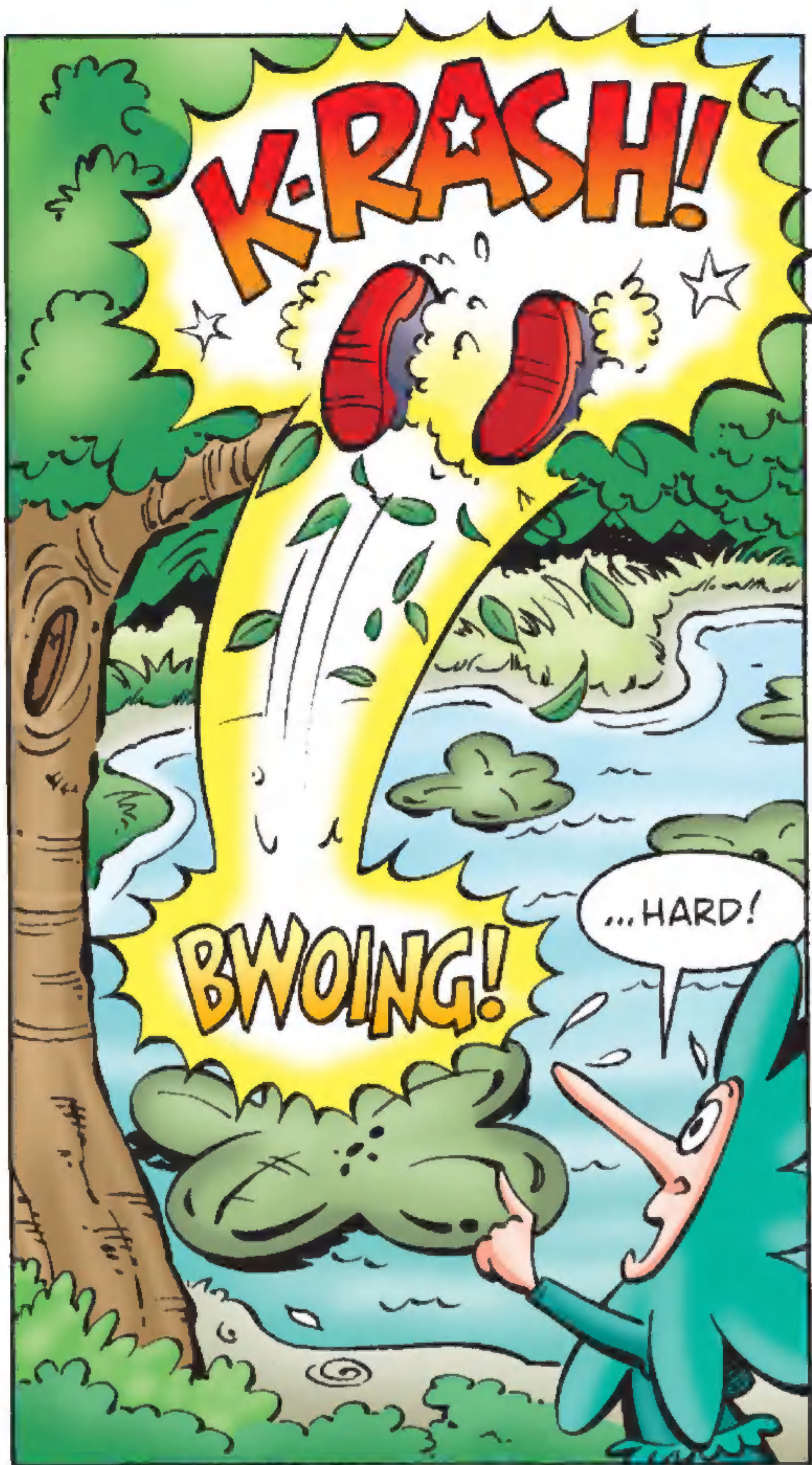
PERHAPS WE SHOULD GO AROUND THE WEEDS, SIR! THEY'RE RATHER TALL!

NONSENSE! WE'LL DASH RIGHT THROUGH THEM!



FOLLOW ME!





**MILES
LATER**

